

MILLIONS WOULD DIE, GREAT CITIES BE DEMOLISHED

Truman Warns Stalin H-Bomb War Would Destroy Him

By DAYTON MOORE

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Truman solemnly warned Russian Premier Josef Stalin today that the United States has developed a hydrogen superbomb that would mean "ruin for your regime and your homeland" in case of a third world war.

In his farewell State of the Union message to Congress, Mr. Truman said the recent H-bomb tests at Eniwetok ushered in a "new era of destructive power," and man is now "capable of creating explosions of a new order of magnitude, dwarfing the mushroom clouds of Hiroshima and Nagasaki."

"There is something I would say to Stalin," Mr. Truman said. "You claim belief in Lenin's prophecy that one stage in the development of Communist society would be war between your world and ours."

"But . . . war has changed its shape and its dimension. It cannot now be a stage in the development of anything save ruin for your regime and your homeland."

He predicted even more terrible atomic weapons than H-bombs—with "unforeseeable peaks of destructive power."

In any future world war, Mr. Truman said, millions of people could be killed and great cities demolished with one bomb. The "very structure" of this civilization would be destroyed.

Mr. Truman sent his farewell message to be read by clerks in a Republican House and Senate, instead of delivering it in person before a joint session as he has done in past years.

His grave report on the H-bomb, and its awesome implications for the world, came near the end of his unusually long address in which he reviewed the "very great" achievements of his administration.

While he never referred to so many words to a hydrogen bomb, he made his meaning clear when he said that the recent "thermonuclear tests at Eniwetok" marked the beginning of "another stage in the world-shaking development of atomic energy."

He renewed his plea for effective international control of atomic energy, and said both Russia and

America must remember that neither side can win more than a "temporary" advantage in the atomic arms race.

"War today between the Soviet Empire and the free nations might dig the grave not only of our Stalinist opponents, but of our own society, our world as well as theirs," he said.

But he was frankly pessimistic over the prospects of Stalin and the Kremlin recognizing in the near future that neither Russia nor any other nation could win an all out war in the new H-bomb era.

"We cannot measure how deep-rooted are the Kremlin's illusions about us," Mr. Truman said. "We can be sure, however, that the rulers of the Communist world will not change their basic objectives lightly or soon."

"This means there is ahead of us a long hard test of strength and stamina, between the free world and the Communist domain."

Mr. Truman said Eisenhower on Jan. 20 will take up the "greatest burdens, the most compelling responsibilities" ever to fall upon a man.

"And I," he said, "with you and all Americans, wish for him all possible success in undertaking the tasks that so soon will be his."

Mr. Truman said his administration's basic foreign policy had the twin goals of military security and human progress in the free world.

This policy, he said, "at the very least" has averted an all out atomic war.

"And at the most," he said, "we may already have succeeded in establishing conditions which can keep that kind of war from happening, for as far ahead as man can see."

Mr. Truman said the "supreme test" was the Red invasion of South Korea. He said the free world has shown there that it has "the will and the endurance to match the Communist effort to overthrow international order through local aggression."

Looking back on his nearly eight years in the White House, the retiring chief executive said much has been done in which he takes pride. But he said it is "not personal pride" but pride in the people, the nation and its democratic government.

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Urgent Spring Treads on Winter's Snowy Heels

Strangers in Victoria might marvel but most passers-by spared only a glance at blossoming Japanese plum along Manor Road and Royal Terrace, near

Government House, today. Blossoms nestled in snowy branches. (Times photo by Halkett.)

CITY KICKS OFF WINTER BLANKET

Motorists Slip and Slide As First Snowfall Lies Briefly

Vancouver Island's first snowfall of the 1952-53 winter began melting rapidly today under warm rain.

Only 1.1 inches of snow fell in Victoria but there were four inches in portions of the Saanich peninsula, seven in Duncan, six at Comox, and four to six on the Malahat.

Public works crews worked all night keeping the Malahat open, and sanded all hills.

Machine operators had to rescue eight motorists whose cars had slid on the slippery road surface and wound up in the ditch. All were pulled back to the highway and sent off safely.

"People could avoid trouble by using tires suitable to the roads on which they drive," one public works official said today. "Tractionizing" costs a lot less than one dented fender."

In the city motorists generally "played safe" by careful driving.

However, at least five drivers got into difficulties on snow-

covered Saanich and city streets Monday night. Two persons received minor hurts.

OVERTURNED

John Catterall, 4220 Quadra, passenger in a car driven by Craig A. Massie, 3981 Saanich Road, was injured when the car skidded and turned over on East Saanich Road at Haliburton.

Allan Duffus, 1702 Belmont, was treated at St. Joseph's for a head cut when the car he was driving was in collision with a second car driven by Daniel P. Griffin, 2727 Foul Bay, at Catherine and Langford.

About \$500 damage was done to cars driven by Guy M. Shaw, Saanich, and Edgar O. Jones, 1303 Yates, when they collided near Prospect Lake, police said.

Cars driven by Muriel L. McKay, East Road, Sidney, and Arthur Lionel, Brentwood, were damaged when they collided on East Saanich Road north of Elk Lake.

RCMP reported "some ditch-

ings" that caused traffic tie-ups, but no serious accidents.

Weatherman William Mackie said warm air from the Pacific has forced back cold air from the continent, but that there is the likelihood of colder temperatures returning late Thursday night.

Until then skies will be cloudy with intermittent rain, and temperatures will range between 37 and 45 degrees.

Low temperatures recorded overnight were 30.3 degrees, high today 44 degrees.

Elsewhere in Canada the picture was much more gloomy. Vancouver had two inches of snow overnight and freezing rain today.

Some roads in the Calgary-Lethbridge district were plugged by a blizzard, and the whole of Alberta recorded its coldest night with temperatures from 10 below zero to 45 below.

The nation's coldest spot was Snag, the Yukon "icebox," where the thermometer dropped to a crisp, crackling 48 degrees below zero.

Weather officials in Edmonton have forecast a second blizzard may follow one scheduled to hit the prairies tonight.

HOSPITALS MAY FACE STRIKES

TLC Will Fight For Wage Boosts

VANCOUVER (CP)—William Black, business agent for the Hospital Employees' Union (TLC), says the organization is prepared to fight in the courts to take "strike action if necessary" to gain wage increases won in agreements with hospitals.

Mr. Black told the Vancouver and District Trades and Labor Council last night that some hospitals had agreed to wage increases but were holding back because of the provincial government's order freezing hospital budgets.

He criticized the government's "hold the line" order on hospitals and said benefits won in the arbitrary tribunals might be lost if hospitals cut costs.

The TLC delegates pledged support to the hospital union. A meeting will be sought with the cabinet to discuss the issue.

Premier W. A. C. Bennett today termed "completely erroneous" statements that British Columbia's hospital insurance plan is piling up a big deficit under the new government's administration.

"The plan is in better shape than it has ever been," he said. He was referring to statements Tuesday by Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, MLA, and Arthur Ash, a candidate for the Saanich seat in the coming provincial election.

Capt. Proudfoot claimed that the present government has the hospital insurance scheme heavily in debt although when it assumed power the BCHIS had a \$3,000,000 credit.

3 Killed in Blast

SHERIDAN, Texas (AP)—A roaring explosion today turned a huge oil recycling plant into an inferno. Three persons were reported killed and four missing.



Forms Cabinet

Rene Mayer, with the backing of one of the largest majorities accorded a French government chief since the end of the Second World War, today set about forming his country's 18th post-war cabinet. With the support of Gen. Charles de Gaulle's party, Mayer won approval by a vote of 389 to 205 in the National Assembly.

Living Cost For November Shows Decline

OTTAWA (CP)—The new consumer price index, reflecting changes in living costs, declined by three-tenths of a point during November to 115.8 from 116.1, the bureau of statistics reported today.

The index, based on 1949 prices equalling 100, has been relatively stabilized—at a high level—for more than six months.

Moving a mere one-tenth of a point monthly either up or down, it has dropped altogether a little more than two points from the all-time high of 118.2 in December, 1951.

The old cost-of-living index, based on 1935-39 prices equalling 100, continued a five-month decline with a drop of three-fifths of a point during November to 184.2 from 184.8. The peak was 191.5 in December, 1951.

Aircraft May Be Down With 41 Aboard

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—The municipal airport control tower reported today that a C-46 transport is missing in a flight over southern Idaho. The civil aeronautics administration said 37 military personnel and a crew of four were on board.

The plane, en route from Seattle, was last reported over Malad City, Idaho, at 3:58 a.m. It had been scheduled to stop at Cheyenne, Wyo., at 5:15 a.m., but failed to arrive or to re-establish radio contact.

"We presume the plane is down somewhere in the southern Idaho-Wyoming area," a CAA spokesman said.

2-Year Drought Ends

DARWIN, Australia (AP)—Steady rains continued today, breaking a two-year drought—worst in the history of Australia's Northern Territory—and saving hundreds of thousands of cattle.

Siamese Girls To Be Parted Like Brodies

German Father Gives Permission to Doctor

DUSSELDORF, Germany (AP)—The father of 18-month-old Siamese twins joined at the tops of their heads has given permission for an operation to separate them similar to that performed recently on the Brodie twins of Chicago.

The father, George Knaath, said Dr. Peter Roettgen of the Bonn University clinic was preparing to perform the operation on the twins, Rosemarie and Lotte.

Knaath said the surgeon had asked the University of Illinois medical school for films and data on the operation which separated Rodney Dee and Roger Lee Brodie.

In Bonn, Dr. Roettgen said he would perform the operation but added that "the exact time was uncertain."

The surgeon, who is head of the clinic's nerve department, said he was anxious to learn more of the technique and methods used in the separation of the Brodie twins.

CHICAGO (AP)—Rodney Dee Brodie, the stronger of the separated Siamese twins, appeared today to have survived another major plastic operation "fairly well," but his condition continued critical.

Little hope, however, was held by doctors for survival of his twin brother, Roger, who has been in a coma since the 15-month-old boys were separated in an operation Dec. 17.

Rodney was in the operating room for two hours Tuesday as plastic surgeons took a 3½x12-inch strip of skin from his back and transferred it to the open wound on his forehead to start healing.

RED RIDING HOOD PLAN WORKED

Crashing the Iron Curtain wasn't too tough for the 40-year-old farm couple from Saxony. Thousands of East Germans do it every month, they said.

But for little Gerd, 7, Hannes, 9, Dieter, 11, Lutz, 12, Wolfgang, 14, and Udo, 15, it might have been perilous.

Each went alone, with a paper shopping bag and an ersatz story about visiting their grandparents in West Germany.

Invitation to Address Congress May Be Blocked

WASHINGTON (AP)—Winston Churchill's remarks about the Korean war seemed likely today to block a move to invite him to address Congress.

Senator Styles Bridges (Rep.-N.H.), acting president of the Senate, told reporters he will discuss with other Republican leaders a proposal made Tuesday by Senator George Smathers (Dem.-Fla.) that the British prime minister be asked to talk to a joint Senate-House of Representatives session on his forthcoming visit to Washington. But Bridges added:

"Americans are always glad to see and pay tribute to a great leader of another nation, but many Americans—including myself—are disturbed by the prime minister's statements about the Korean war."

Churchill told a press conference on his arrival in New York for conversations with President-elect Eisenhower that there could be worse things than a stalemate in Korea and that Britain was against any "indefinite extension" of the conflict there.

OUT OF TURN? Senator Arthur Watkins (Rep.-Utah) voiced the evident opinion of a number of his colleagues when he observed to a reporter that Churchill seemed to be "speaking out of turn."

"It is easy for Mr. Churchill to say that a stalemate in Korea is not so bad, so long as we Americans are the ones who are providing the troops to maintain that stalemate," Watkins said.

"Maybe he would be willing for the war in Korea to go on for years but I don't believe the majority of Americans want any such thing to happen."

Senator Eugene Millikin of Colorado, chairman of the conference of all Republican senators, told a reporter he sees little value at this time in having Churchill address a joint session.

A year ago, when he visited here, he addressed an informal session of Congress, as he had previously in the war and post-war years.

Two key Eisenhower appointees, John Foster Dulles and Winthrop W. Aldrich, called on Churchill at Baruch's home Tuesday night. Dulles will be secretary of state in the new administration and Aldrich will be ambassador to Britain.

Like the other two meetings of Eisenhower and Churchill, the third meeting will be held at the Manhattan home of financier Bernard M. Baruch, Churchill's host during his stay in New York.

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Mediators End Dock Strike in New York

NEW YORK (AP)—Federal mediators, after an all-night session, announced an agreement early today to end the six-day strike of AFL dock specialists which for a couple of days threatened to tie up shipping in major United States east coast ports.

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Tug Crew Pulls Aged Man From False Creek

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Prompt action by police and a tugboat captain today were credited with rescuing a 73-year-old man from False Creek after he fell 60 feet from the Cambie Street bridge.

Robert McCall, an old age pensioner, was listed as being in "poor" condition in the Vancouver General Hospital after his fall. He was fished from the icy waters by the crew of the tug Rodney 1 and revived as the boat sped towards the dock.

New Mother

Elizabeth Taylor of movie fame gave birth to her first child, a boy, Tuesday night. In a California hospital. The 20-year-old actress and the seven-pound three-ounce baby, delivered by caesarean section, are "doing fine." She is the wife of English actor Michael Wilding.

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ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

If New York keeps growing at its present rate, it "will have become facile princeps within another decade." That's the announcement the London Daily Telegraph made to its readers the other day.

Fancy that! New York "facile princeps." It seems incredible. Who'd 'a believed it on that bright day in 1626 when Peter Minuit and his Dutch colonists purchased Manhattan Island from the Indians for the equivalent of \$24 in bright cloth, beads and other trinkets?

Now comes the question: What's facile princeps? I don't know for sure, but dredging up school-boy latin and supplementing it with Webster, it might mean "easily the leader" and that would apply to population, as the London Daily Telegraph sees it.

Only why does the London Daily Telegraph see it in latin? Has the LDT such an erudite circulation that it can toss off news stories in the original classical tongue? If it has, that must be some list of subscribers, or else newspapers out here are trailing far behind their readers.

For the last quarter-century those good people who have been trying to teach me how to write for a newspaper have been repeating one word over and over again. "Simplify, simplify, simplify," they say, until their adjectives (how do you like that?) rise almost to a scream.

Now it might have been more profitable had they advised me to dig into that section on foreign phrases in the back of the dictionary. After 25 years study I should have been able to toss off anything from "ab actu ad posse" to "zwei Seelen und ein Gedanke." It might not have made my attempts to write any clearer than they are. On the other hand, it might have left them just as clear.

Teasers

There's a well-known literary device used by some first-class newspaper writers. In the middle of a piece, they'll throw in an odd word. The idea is that it will draw the reader up sharp, make him stop and then send him scurrying to a dictionary to find out what the word means.

It's an interesting experiment—if you can picture a reader laying his paper aside, hoisting himself out of a chair and thumbing through the pages of a dictionary. It brings a little beneficial physical exercise to reading—as if anyone wanted beneficial physical exercise with his reading.

Maybe some do. One of my friends in the bus has been reading a paperback on "How to Develop a Vocabulary" for the last three months. If he follows it up, he'll find himself growing into a dictionary-runner before he's finished. Then, when he's completed his preparations, when he figures he can stand shoulder to shoulder with old Noah Webster or old Dr. Samuel Johnson, somebody'll tell him to throw all his two-bit and four-bit words away and talk so people can understand him.

Acquiring a vocabulary is something like the yen young guys used to have to own a tuxedo. When they couldn't afford evening clothes, they longed for them. When they grew older, more prosperous and able to buy white tie and tails, they were well enough off to knock around in old tweeds.

It's approximately the same with words. Get all you can lay your hands on, but don't parade them. If you store away enough, if you understand all their connotations, their roots and their pronunciation, you may be able to read Pymeng's Wake some day—that or the odd story in the London Daily Telegraph.

Public Enlightenment

You may even, if you go classical, be able to walk into court some time and understand the technical conversations which pass between lawyers at the bar and judges on the bench—the stuff that fees are made of. Carry your studies a little further and you may help to correct a lot of errors in the popular mind. You might tell your fellow-Canadians that the translation of a great commercial concern's latin motto is not "Trim 'em down to the hilt" and that the motto of a fine province is not "Splendor for no reason at all."

But if you go into these foreign languages, don't drag them out in newspapers. One "facile princeps" is enough, more than enough, for a long, long time.

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CPR Has Bought Last Steam Locomotive

OTTAWA (BUP).—Steam locomotives, the thundering giants that now pull trains across the nation, no longer are being purchased by the CPR and will be replaced by more efficient diesel units.

CPR vice-president N. R. Crump told the Board of Transport Commissioners Tuesday that his company had bought "our last steam locomotive—coal or oil."

He said the CPR planned to acquire 358 quiet, efficient, diesel engines within the next five years, spending an average of \$13,900,000 annually to make the reconversion from steam.

Crump indicated that the CPR was interested in a gas turbine engine being developed in Canada and to be powered by coal, but said it was not yet far enough advanced for inclusion in present plans.

The CPR is arguing before the board that its freight rates

MILES OF TIES PUZZLE TO VC

Maj. Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, appeared puzzled Tuesday night when he told the Saanich Progressive Conservative Association that 1,150,000 neckties had been bought last year for Canada's 100,000 servicemen.

"I figured out that if laid end to end they would reach from the defense minister's office to the Winnipeg garbage dump," he said.

ORPHANS' HOME

The eightieth annual meeting of the subscribers to the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall on Thursday, January 8th, 1953, at 4 p.m. for the purpose of considering annual reports, the election of a Board of Managers, considering an amendment to the by-laws and transacting any other business in the interests of the Society.

A Managers meeting will be held immediately following the annual meeting.

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Currie Findings Held 'Seven-Day Wonder'

Liberal Ministers Claim Disclosures 'Not Earth-Shaking'; Pearkes Hostile

Two Liberal cabinet ministers and the Progressive Conservative Party's chief military critic Tuesday presented clashing views to Victorians on the now famous Currie Report.

Solicitor-General Ralph Campney in an interview and Fisheries Minister James Sinclair in an address to the Saanich Liberal Association played down the importance of the results of the Currie investigation, and Maj. Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, bitterly attacked the Liberal administration in a speech to Saanich Tories.

Mr. Campney felt the report won't "cut much ice" in the coming federal election. "When the select committee on defense expenditures gets the facts, they'll cut it down to size," said Mr. Campney, who was acting minister of national defense when the explosive report was tabled.

The solicitor-general said the

Threshing Old Straw—Sinclair

Fisheries Minister Sinclair termed the Currie Report a "seven-day wonder," and said a lot of it was threshing old straw—reviewing irregularities which already had been detected and persons prosecuted by the RCMP.

He said it will be found that the pilfering at Petawawa was not on a large scale when compared to the whole picture.

"Any of you who were in the service will recall that servicemen have a pretty loose appreciation of government property," said Mr. Sinclair.

Listing of horses on the army payroll was not as bad as it appeared, he said, and actually was "an accounting matter."

He explained it was a matter of convenience to list horses' names on payrolls when actually the horses' owners received the money for the rent of the horses.

There had been warnings of "unsatisfactory conditions" at Petawawa long before the Currie Report reached the national defense department, General Pearkes told his Lake Hill audience.

Europe Confederation Proposal Goes Ahead

STRASBOURG, France (AP).—European legislators reconvened here today to put finishing touches on a plan they hope one day will join six powerful countries of Western Europe into one big confederation.

Eighty-seven members of a special constitutional assembly representing France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg started their series of new meetings this morning under the presidency of Belgium's Paul-Henri Spaak.

Main business is the multipaged report from the assembly's constitutional committee containing a rough outline for the proposed confederation.

This provides for joint executive, legislative and judicial branches to supervise—and eventually merge—the proposed European defense community and the six-country steel and coal pool already in operation for the last six months.

The EDC, still awaiting ratification by the six countries

and the subject of bitter debate in respective national parliaments, would form a single uniform army including West German troops.

Heinrich Von Brentano, West German Christian Democrat and chairman of drafting committee, presented the confederation plan to the assembly for debate. He urged assembly members to adopt the draft quickly as the "best means and way to get ahead on the road toward a true united Europe."

Von Brentano emphasized that the door should be kept open for other countries either to join the planned United States of Europe or attach themselves more or less loosely to it later.

Britain and the Scandinavian states thus far have remained aloof from the unification plan.

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British Columbia will be represented at the Coronation of Elizabeth II by Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Clarence Wallace.

They hold seats for the historic event, which will take place in London June 2, in Westminster Abbey.

The Lieutenant-Governor and his wife will sail from New York on the Queen Mary May 13.

Premier and Mrs. W. A. C. Bennett have been invited to the Coronation, along with all other premiers and lieutenant-governors.

The premier doesn't know if he can attend. The political situation may keep him in B.C.

Included in the Lieutenant-Governor's party will be Mrs. Wallace's personal maid and her social secretary, Miss Ruth McLean.

It will be the second meeting with the Queen for the Lieutenant-Governor and his wife. Just over a year ago, as Princess Elizabeth, Her Majesty and her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh stayed at Government House for two nights during their Canadian tour.

Mrs. Pitre to Hang Friday For Time-Bomb Murder

QUEBEC (CP).—Mrs. Arthur Pitre, 43, was taken to Montreal's Bordeaux jail today to await hanging Friday for the murder of Mrs. J. Albert Guay in the time-bombing of an airliner Sept. 9, 1949.

She was charged specifically with placing the time-bomb aboard the passenger aircraft the day it crashed at nearby Sault au Cochon, killing all 23 aboard.

She denies knowledge the parcel was shipped at the request of J. Albert Guay's

brother, Genereux Ruest. Guay was hanged last Jan. 12 for master-minding the plot to kill his wife, collect \$10,000 insurance money and marry a young waitress.

Ruest, 54-year-old crippled watchmaker, was hanged July 25 for making the bomb.

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Arsenal, Red Literature Mystifies Montreal Police

Law officers in Montreal discovered stacks of Communist literature, a portable machine gun and even a mace, when they found Constantine Stathopoulos, inset, dead in a rooming house. Labor Progressive Party leader Gui

Caron has denied that Stathopoulos was a party member. Code clerks are now attempting to unravel messages contained in about 250 loose-leaf folders and notepads. (CP photo.)

'DETIMENT TO HIS PROFESSION'

Witnesses Claim Wife Admitted Stabbing Husband While He Slept

TOKYO (AP)—The prosecution was quoted as saying "I waited for my husband to go to sleep and then I stabbed him." The defense promptly moved for dismissal on grounds of insufficient evidence. The motion was overruled by the U.S. Army court martial board and the trial recessed until Thursday.

Mrs. Smith, 40, daughter of Gen. Walter Krueger of Second World War fame, pleaded innocent of fatally stabbing Col. Aubrey Smith in the bedroom of their Tokyo residence on the night of Oct. 3.

DRINKING OTHER FELLOW'S BEER UNFORGIVABLE SIN, SAYS JUDGE

LEWES, England (AP)—To drink someone else's beer is an unforgivable sin—and deserves a punch on the nose, a judge says.

Norman Hyde, 39, was charged in Lewes court Tuesday with punching Henry Attwood in a saloon after Attwood had grabbed Hyde's glass of beer.

"You appear to have been greatly provoked, for Attwood seems to have committed the unpardonable sin of trying to drink somebody else's beer," Judge Eric Neave told Hyde.

Then the judge dismissed the charge—despite Hyde's plea of guilty.

Nuns Fear for Clergy Left in Red China

Sisters Held by Communists for 18 Months With Five Priests While Under House Arrest

PEMBROKE, Ont. (BUP)—Three grey nuns of the Immaculate Conception Order, returned to their mother house after 18 months under house arrest by Chinese Communists, expressed concern today for Catholic clergymen who were left behind.

Sister Mary Angela, a native of County Cork, Ireland; Sister Mary Catherine, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and Sister St. Mathew, of Toronto, saw their convent and hospital seized by the Reds in April, 1951. They were released last October and arrived in Vancouver last month. They reached Pembroke Tuesday.

The nuns said they were confined to an attic with five priests during the time they were under house arrest.

Among the clergymen were Bishop Kenneth Turner, of

Montreal; Father Arthur Venadam, of Nova Scotia, and a Chinese Father, Paul Kam. The latter two were jailed shortly before the nuns were released. The nuns said Catholics were told by the Chinese Communists to "cut themselves off from the church and the Pope completely."

On the day the nuns were released, they said, they were forced to stand at attention and listen while a Communist soldier read a proclamation, and made them state they had never committed any crimes against the people.

The nuns said the Communists took their ambulance, dishes, chairs, household utensils, and that nothing had been returned. They said they received adequate food while under house arrest.

Sister Mary Catherine was arrested by the Communists on a trumped-up charge of killing a Chinese woman who had been knocked down by a truck. The nun was paraded through the streets at gunpoint and her trial lasted almost 24 hours.

1 Killed, 3 Wounded, Army List Shows

OTTAWA (CP)—A Korean casualty list today included one man killed in action and three wounded. The last list was issued Tuesday.

The army list brought to 1,272 total casualties so far suffered by Canadian troops in Korea, including 241 dead, 28 missing, 85 injured and one captured.

In addition, the Navy has reported three dead and three injured in action and the Air Force has reported one missing.

The list follows:
KILLED IN ACTION
Maisonville, Jean Pierre, Pte., Royal 22nd, Ottawa.
WOUNDED IN ACTION
Prokopetz, Alexander, Pte., RCR, Grandview, Man.
McGraw, Joseph, Pte., RCR, Hamilton.
Wood, Donald, Pte., RCR, Weston, Ont.

Inquest Clears Police Officers

Jury Rules Death of Negro Was Caused by Struggle, Old Injury

VANCOUVER (CP)—The death of Clarence Clemens, a waterfront worker who said he had been beaten by police, was classed today by a coroner's jury as "accidental and unnatural."

The jury, which sat almost continuously for 15 hours and heard 58 witnesses, said the 52-year-old Negro died on Christmas Eve as a result of "an injury to the spinal cord."

The verdict added that the injury was "caused by an old injury which may have been aggravated by his strenuous struggles in resisting arrest by two city police officers . . . in the normal course of their duties."

Insp. R. E. Tabbutt testified that workmen's compensation board records show Clemens was on compensation at various times because of an injured back.

A friend of Clemens, railway

Red Germany's Purge Extends To Party Chief

BERLIN (AP)—A country-wide purge of state and party officials in East Germany today extended to the coalition Liberal Democratic party whose co-chairman was recently fired as government supply chief.

Party chairman Hans Loch, who is also deputy premier in the Communist-controlled government, told an East Berlin party conference that LDP would be purged of all "disorganizing and reactionary elements" who sought to gain control of the party.

Loch's announcement was prompted by the attitude of many party units who, he said, opposed the ouster of former co-chairman Karl Hamann after he was dismissed last month from the cabinet for "sabotage." Hamann was subsequently arrested and is expected to be tried soon as a scapegoat for the shortage of food in the Russian zone. His daughter is also reported under arrest, while his wife fled to West Berlin a week ago with four other children.

Many Hundreds Pay Last Respects To Ont. Leader

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP)—Federal and provincial politicians, farmers, businessmen and civil servants gathered here today for the funeral of Mitchell F. Hepburn, colorful former Liberal premier of Ontario, who died Monday at 56.

Honorary pallbearers included Premier Leslie Frost of Ontario and four former premiers, George Henry, T. L. Kennedy, Harry Nixon and George Drew, now national leader of the Progressive party.

Representing Prime Minister St. Laurent was Robert McCubbin, parliamentary assistant to Agriculture Minister Gardiner.

Another nurse, Capt. Helen Humanensky, quoted Mrs. Smith as saying the Smiths "argued a couple of times. She said if she had to go to the States alone she would kill him first and then herself."

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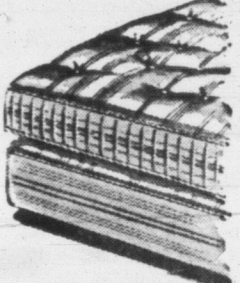
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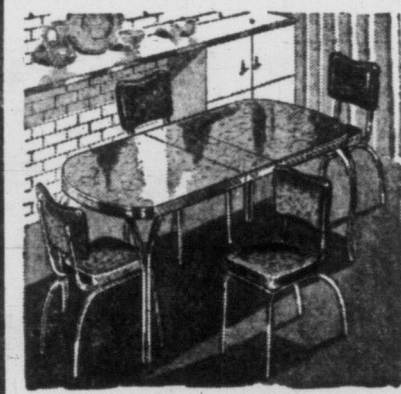
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The Chance of Tax Reductions

MR. Abbott has always said that he could see no chance of tax reductions unless the drain of defense costs eased, or the nation's total production of wealth increased.

The cost of defense is not easing. The federal government's next budget is not likely to be less than the four and a half billions of the present budget. But the nation's production has grown in the last year faster than Mr. Abbott dared to hope in his last budget speech. Hence (especially in an election year) there is a good chance of tax reductions.

In 1953, if all goes well, the gross national product, as the economists call the total production of all goods and services, should rise by something between 3 and 5 per cent. This will instantly increase the yield of all existing tax rates as the state taps this new income in everybody's pockets.

The increase in revenue will be proportionately greater than the increase in production. That may seem, at first glance, difficult to understand. The explanation is that increased production will be concentrated largely in the industrial sector of the economy and it is a high tax producer compared, for example, with agriculture.

If, therefore, an increase in production provides an extra yield of, say, 5 per cent in the revenue yield from present tax rates, the government would collect an extra two hundred millions. If the increase were as high as 7 per cent, which is not unlikely if times remain good, the government would be richer by three hundred millions. And that, in Canadian terms, is a lot of money.

It is safe to say that the government will never budget again for a revenue surplus, even if that would be good business when we should be reducing the national debt. Surpluses, however sound, are unpopular. Therefore, if Mr. Abbott can count on any extra revenue undoubtedly he will reduce taxes by that amount.

Probably, in preparing the next budget, the government is chiefly

concerned in distributing a total tax reduction as fairly as possible.

For example, a 10 per cent cut in personal income tax would cost the government about \$130 millions in revenue. If it could afford a total reduction of \$300 millions—that would leave a margin for reduction in sales taxes and in the corporation taxes which, as Mr. Abbott tacitly admits, are far too high now and depress enterprise.

Business profits are now taxed at the rate of 52 per cent (with certain minor variations), a rate quite unimaginable a few years ago. As Mr. Abbott has indicated, that rate must be reduced as soon as possible and this year perhaps the reduction can begin, though it will not be nearly so popular with the electors as a cut in the personal income tax or in sales taxes. The public knows when it is paying direct taxes out of its own purse. It seldom pauses to realize that it is largely paying corporation taxes invisibly in prices.

So far as the government and the taxpayer are concerned, everything depends on the nation's ability to increase its output of goods and services. Its ability so far has amazed all economists, especially those in foreign countries.

In 1952 a nation of only some fourteen million people produced wealth estimated at \$23 billions. No similar population has ever produced anything like this total before in all recorded time. The increase for 1952 alone was 8 per cent, about four times what economists would expect even in good times, and far above Mr. Abbott's estimates of last spring.

It is not likely that this rate can be maintained, but 1953 production should reach a new peak—provided there is no drastic change in the world economy on which Canada mainly lives, provided Canadians continue to work at their present pace and provided there are no serious time-wasting labor disputes in industry. In short, if Canadians want tax reductions they must earn them.

Wasting Experience?

COMMENTS BY THE MAYOR and aldermen on city standing committee appointments have not removed the impression that competent and experienced council members have been taken from tasks for which they seemed admirably suited and relegated, in some cases, to positions where their abilities will be given less scope.

The mayor, exercising his prerogative on committee appointments, has relieved Ald. Pinfold of the chairmanship of the finance committee, where he did excellent work, and nominated him as the head of the public works committee. He has taken Ald. Scurrah from the public works post and put him in charge of fire wardens and other less important committees. He has transferred Ald. Margaret Christie from the social welfare field, to which she has been devoted for years, and given her chairmanship of the parks committee.

These are some of the drastic changes the mayor has made in what he considers a move to broaden the knowledge and widen the experience of his colleagues. Ostensibly his actions are based on a desire to avoid too narrow interests on the part of the aldermen and too hidebound a form in the committees. He apparently does not want them to be locked in close compartments exclusively concerned with specialized fields.

In the process, he is noted, Ald. Waldo Skillings, an outspoken critic of the mayor and a council member mentioned, along with Ald. Scurrah, as possible opposition for him at the polls next December, has been switched from the fire wardens to the health and social welfare field.

By Forty-Five to Five

EVER SINCE RUSSIA rejected the Indian Korean peace proposal and suffered a diplomatic setback of first magnitude the Soviets have sought to distract world attention from the incident. The Communist peace bluff was exposed; a quick smoke screen was needed.

Stalin contributed his share by releasing answers to a set of press questions—answers which held out more vague hopes for peace yet dodged any responsibility for the current state of the world. But the most direct effort came in the United Nations Assembly itself, where the original defeat had been suffered.

Mr. Gromyko, the Soviet representative, in a last-minute resolution, tried to secure condemnation of the United States on the basis of atrocity stories. He did not provide any evidence, although he said the Kremlin had lots of it.

Briefly, Mr. Gromyko charged that the U.S. had shipped 1,400 Korean prisoners to this continent "to serve as guinea pigs in atom experiments."

that 800 prisoners were "burned alive by American monsters," that others had "had their eyes gouged out by American hangmen," and so on. The words "mass murder," "inhuman," "brutal," "systematic extermination," were among the more polite terms used.

The response of the international assembly was very gratifying. It called for an immediate vote, not even dignifying the allegations with the formality of an investigation. The debate was terminated. By a vote of 45 to five—the five nations of the Soviet bloc—the UN decided that the Russian charges were entirely without basis.

Never had an international diplomat been more definitely and severely repudiated. Neyer had an international charge more quickly and frankly been dubbed what it so obviously was—a fabrication. The UN, so often accused of being merely a sounding board for propaganda, justified the hopes of its founders by proving to be a council devoted to justice.

Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

A COUPLE of weeks ago, not very deeply shocked to see me permitting myself to hold



my fingers. Provided I did it at a quiet family supper and not at a formal banquet. And provided I did it with a certain delicacy . . . after all, there are ways and ways of eating things in your fingers, and you don't have to imitate Charles Laughton imitating Henry VIII. By the way, it is unlikely that Henry VIII was quite the hog that Laughton or Laughton's director believed him to be.

He was something worse than rude to his legal wife, to his spiritual directors, and to Saint Thomas More (perhaps the greatest man of the age). And by the way, he loved More better than a brother, and was forced into the murder by Anne Boleyn . . . on the day of More's death he stormed into her apartments and roared "You killed that man." As she did, and as she killed Saint John Fisher, Bishop of Rochester, for daring to hint that her marriage wasn't any too legal. She was going to be respectable or bust. And she did bust, too, but too late.

But as for being swinish over his dinner, that is most unlikely. Laughton gave an excellent portrayal of a starving gorilla. But was it a startling likeness of a king whom Erasmus found to be the most gifted and gentlemanly prince in Europe? Erasmus didn't miss much through those half-closed and humorous eyes of his. Half the time he was watching, watching, and the rest of the time he was thinking, thinking.

Well, as I say, you can eat a drumstick in your fingers almost delicately. If you choose, and hardly anyone will rush from the room in an agony of nausea. You can do the same thing with corn on the cob, or even asparagus or artichokes. And in some very exalted circles (though seldom in Canada) with lettuce. And thus with a dozen other foods, many of them rather messy with butter or mayonnaise or something of the sort. At a single cocktail party it is possible to have a dozen foods and half a dozen greases on your fingers at once . . . if you so desire.

It all seems normal enough, no? Nothing to get hysterical about. Yet do you know what happened to me at breakfast this morning, when I absent-mindedly began to eat part of a kipper in my fingers? I incurred the scorn and obloquy of my entire family. And their odium, too. I've never been so surprised in my life. "I never cried so much in all my life," as Grace Fields used to sing, in the days when she preferred to be funny on purpose instead of by trying to make us cry ourselves. I was dumfounded, which is one of the worst ways to be founded.

I'll admit that the first time I saw kippers hand-eaten I was a trifle astonished myself (though not shocked). But I was only an inexperienced youth, as well as a great hypocrite . . . like the kipper itself, which has been called "a two-faced (blank) with no guts." I soon lost my astonishment. The hand-eater turned out to be the manager of a large fish company. Loathing his firm's commercial kippers, he used to select his own herring and have them kippered by the firm to suit himself.

When he offered me one to eat in my fingers, I was so delighted by its taste that my delight charmed him, and from then on, until his death, he used to send me two or three dozen of his kippers at a time, bless him. Plus smoked salmon cheeks, hand-dressed salmon slabs to be eaten raw, and big containers of his private oysters. On such a diet, his face, while kindly, acquired a sort of fishy look, though in an engaging way. But he had the heart of a whale. And if he didn't know how to eat kippers, then who does? I have studied with a master. So let us have no more bores from the gallery, if you please.

LUSCIOUS, AIN'T IT?

Oh . . . talking of food and human mouth and fingers . . . there was once a most lovely sherry in Vancouver. It may be there yet, for all I know. I lost interest in candies long ago, and no longer lurch from one confectioner to another.

One day my mother, who was a good customer, noticed a girl there licking her thumb and forefinger after placing every few sweets in the box my mother had ordered. My mother asked her to cease and desist. The girl grew angry, and hearing harsh words the owner came into the shop and asked what ailed them. My mother told him. Perhaps she was curt. At any rate, he ordered her out of the shop (my mother, not the finger-licker) and told her never to come back, and more or less called her a liar and a trouble-maker. I guess that showed who was boss around there. Well, he may not have been a gentleman. But he did hold his lick.

MARKED for READING DIM VIEW

There are more tired division commanders than there are tired divisions. Tired officers are always pessimistic.

"War as I Saw It," Gen. Geo. S. Patton Jr.

MUSICAL CHEERS

I would like to see the term "musical appreciation" scrapped and "the enjoyment of music" substituted for it. For in "appreciation," as the word itself indicates, there is involved, consciously or unconsciously, the concept of "pricing," of determining artistic values, and that lands us at once in the uncharted bog of "musical criticism."

—Ernest Newman, in The Sunday Times (London)

ON PARADE

Women don't dress for men; they know better than that; they know better than to waste themselves on a sex so dull; they dress for one another, and half the striving for fashion is due to their knowledge that they are appearing before women, the hardest critics, and the most learned.

—W. L. George

How Not to Win Friends and Influence People



THE CLAUSE IN FINE PRINT

On the Air—And Up in It

VICTORIANS who are puzzled by Health Minister Martin's recent attack on the United Nations, before Victoria Rotary Club, would have a clue to his source had they heard the Sunday morning religious broadcast of Alberta Premier Ernest C. Manning. It is quite apparent that Mr. Manning has been paying close attention to the Gospel according to Saint Ernest.

Mr. Manning delved into the Book of Revelations to prophecy that one day a sinister anti-Christ would arise to control "all kindred" of the world. From this, he proceeded in somewhat devious and murky fashion to ally this authoritarian regime with the force which is "suggesting one language, one army, even one religion."

The day was coming, the Alberta Premier predicted, when Mongols, Slavs and Jews would unite in a supreme clash with the West, in the Battle of Armageddon. The capital of the world would not be London, Paris or Washington, but ancient Babylon—and in this regard, he repeated (in what is becoming familiar to students of Social Credit speeches) "Keep your eye on that strange little country, Israel."

Mr. Manning conceded that he would be criticized by "some who call themselves Christians," and by "some newspaper editors"; his flock should be prepared.

It is strange, but true, that positions of power—whether in politics or religion which should inspire humility, often have exactly the reverse effect. From recent utterances it would appear that Mr. Manning, who has had remarkable success in both fields, is finding the wine of power extremely heady; he is becoming

terribly sensitive to criticism of any kind. Thus, newspaper editors who support the United Nations are suspect; thus, any religions other than the Fundamentalism preached by Mr. Manning are held up to polite ridicule.

Thus also, in the booklet "The Alberta Story," Mr. Manning is quoted: "Some, who are out of step with the outstanding progress Alberta already has made, will criticize . . . It should be recognized that such arguments are advanced primarily by those whose information is not sufficiently complete to enable them to reach a sound conclusion."

This intemperance with dissent opinion, this attitude of we-know-what's-best, is precisely the type of propaganda that that other great Canadian authoritarian, Maurice Duplessis, has been foisting on his people for the past 15 years. It is not new to Alberta. Mr. Manning's mentor, the late William Aberhart, attempted to legislate control of the press and freedom of speech in Edmonton some years ago. He leapt to his sorrow that the people would not buy it.

If Mr. Manning dreams of imposing such ideas on a national scale; if he thinks the people of this country are prepared to disavow the United Nations, look with suspicion on Levantine minorities, and gag criticism; then he has sadly misgauged the thinking of Canadians.

Those Victorians who have been so busily engaged of recent weeks in hopping onto the Social Credit bandwagon would do well to listen to some of the Sunday morning broadcasts of the Alberta premier. They may find sentiments expressed therein which "weren't in their contract."

Ottawa View of 'Land-Grabbing'

Ottawa Journal

BRITISH COLUMBIA and Alberta are piping an old tune. They think it is desirable—in the words of their Social Credit premiers—that their boundaries should be extended 350 miles north of Parallel 65 and thus include areas proven rich in minerals and other resources.

These provincial ambitions—and Saskatchewan shares them—have an air of presumption. No one could have been less interested in the Par North Land than the provinces in the pioneer days when the Dominion Government and private companies and individuals sponsored exploration, organized prospecting journeys, gave thought to the care of the native peoples and encouraged fur conservation.

In British Columbia the demand for northern expansion is half-a-century old and we doubt not that is because the Yukon and adjoining Northwest Territories were shown to have gold-bearing areas just before the turn of the century. When an oil company later proved there was oil at Fort Norman, N.W.T., Alberta suddenly became interested in expansion and Saskatchewan is all-affluter over the reports of uranium

deposits north of her boundaries.

Residents of the Territories, we hear, are not enthusiastic over the land-grab proposals of these southern enthusiasts. They now have some representation in the federally organized Northwest Territories administration and they may reasonably hope such progress will continue until they are able to establish their own brand-new province.

A new province has one remarkable advantage. It has no debt. Even if that modern Eldorado, Alberta, took over the 350 miles to the north it would give the residents of that area their share in a debt built up since 1905 (though now largely paid off from oil revenues), a type of progress the northerners are apt to look upon in a dubious way.

It could be that Victoria or Edmonton, as provincial capitals, would be more understanding of the Territories than Ottawa has been, but we doubt it. Because of such doubt, plus other circumstances, we think that the Dominion Government and Parliament should take a good hard look at this British Columbia-Alberta land-grabbing proposition before going along with it.

As Our Readers See It

NOT EYE TO EYE

In case any more of your readers should be tempted to pervert the issues of the New Testament, as does your correspondent, Mr. Gray, from time to time, perhaps you would print a little of the context of the "eye for an eye" passage, from St. Matthew's sermon on the mount. It is as follows:

"Ye have heard that it hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth. But I say unto you, that ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. And if any man shall sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloak also. And whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twain. Give to him that asketh thee, and from him that would borrow of thee turn not thou away."

These teachings of Jesus transcend the Old Testament. Surely they mean that we should bury the hatchet. Some, of course, never will. These ones will never begin to enjoy the Kingdom of Heaven on earth, which is ever present within us.

E. L. OLDFIELD.

Royal Oak, B.C.

QUICK ON THE JOB

From a letter sent to Mayor Claude Harrison:

It was my privilege to enter the store occupied by Mr. Brock Whitney, on the evening of their recent fire. This fire was noticed about 5:30 p.m. of the Wednesday afternoon when the store was closed.

In less time that it takes to write, the firemen were in the store, and had the fixtures containing valuable stock covered with heavy tarpaulins. Meanwhile the police were on the job controlling traffic, and with water being poured into the fire, it looked as if the place would be a wreck.

Imagine the surprise when we went into the store in the evening, and although water was still coming from the roof, and the ceiling hanging down, when one lifted up the tarpaulins everything underneath was dry and clean.

Mr. Whitney and his staff had a tough job cleaning up the dirt, but due to the smart action of the firemen, including the chief himself who was right in on the job with his men, the store was open for business as usual the following morning, and many who passed, knew nothing of the fire until they read the daily papers.

It's easy to criticize, and grumble at paying taxes, but if more of our citizens could see the efficient work performed by their employees when quick action means the saving of life and property, we would appreciate more our fire and police departments.

HAROLD A. LEES.

643 Yates Street.

CHURCH AND A NEW YEAR

We contemplate the New Year, still facing a world full of seriously disturbing influences and strife, with the menace of a third world war.

Should we not firmly resolve to conscientiously attend and support a suitable church, regardless of our church attendance in the past? Let us first be thankful that Christian churches are being maintained and protected under our democratic system.

In the quiet of a church, large or small, we may strengthen our faith and find new courage. There, we may find a sanctuary of peace, a feeling of transcendent security and comfort, spiritual assurance and satisfaction—all contributing to a sane, happy perspective, with a fuller realization of the higher values of life.

"When two or three are gathered together in Thy Name," the church is a place of worship, devotion, and quiet meditation—a source of spiritual guidance, refreshing inspiration, and fellowship understanding. There, guided by the indispensable leadership of qualified clergy, the external influences of greed, selfishness, and gross materialism are clearly discredited and shamed.

There, we sense the piercing floodlight of the truth, infinite wisdom and glory of scriptural teachings and revelations, aided immeasurably by the sincerity of prayer, without which our patterns of life and our professed Christianity have neither meaning nor purpose.

Apart from private meditation in the home or elsewhere, in what better way can we confidently face the unpredictable future than by the guiding light of the Christian church?

R. BARCLAY SHAW.

1140 Rockland Avenue.

HOLLAND'S CAPITAL

I would like to point out that the writer of your editorial "Marching in the Van," December 16, made a mistake when he called The Hague the capital city of The Netherlands. Amsterdam is the capital of Holland. It is a mistake, often made, probably on account of the facts that the Dutch parliament sits in The Hague; that the queen has a palace there, where she may be most of the time, while the government's departments are also situated at The Hague.

But, the Dutch constitution states that the queen (king) has to reside in her palace at Amsterdam for a certain time (a few weeks) each year.

While talking about Holland, I have to mention also that on December 11, page six, in the item "Elan centre to have month of Christmas," another mistake was made. It is said that "The first of these (celebrating Christmas) was feted in the Dutch tradition last (Saturday)." The head of the centre, Miss Dorothy Punderson, undoubtedly referred to Santa Claus (Sinterklaas in Dutch), which is celebrated on December 6, early, for the younger generation, and December 5, at night, for the grown-ups.

But . . . the Dutch Sinterklaas celebration has nothing whatsoever to do with Christmas. It is the one day—par excellence—in Holland, specially for the youngsters, though the grown-ups always look forward to the night of December 5. And in Holland, Santa is always accompanied by Zwarte Piet (Black Peter), a negro attendant, with a big bag to put the naughty children in.

Youngsters in Holland always make a list for Santa, on which they specify what presents they would like, and give that list to their parents or guardians. Besides, they get, as a rule, the first letter of their name in fine pastry weighing a pound, and often have whole name in chocolate letters.

F. H. STAVEMAN.

Langford Lake, V.I.

The Unseen Audience : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



THE ANSWER



Mother proud of soldier son.

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Sergeant's Bravery Rewarded

Mrs. Helen Richardson, 2733 Somass, has good reason to be proud of her son, Sgt. John Richardson of the PPCLI. Word has been received from Ottawa that the Victoria soldier has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for courageous leadership and devotion to comrades in a "tight situation" on the Korean front.

Now spending leave with his mother here, Sgt. Richardson led a night patrol to safety after it had been riddled in a surprise attack. Suffering five wounds and bleeding badly, the Victoria soldier carried one of his men 100 yards to safety after reorganizing his group and supervising withdrawal.

Crown Hints Appeal As Harris Acquitted

Weapon Carrying Charge Not Proved, Justice Clearhugh Holds in Judgment

The Crown will be recommended to appeal the case of Alan Harris, 25, Winnipeg fur-cutter, acquitted in "speedy" county court trial Tuesday on a charge of carrying an offensive weapon, "dangerous to the peace," Lloyd G. McKenzie, prosecuting counsel, announced at conclusion of the trial.

Mr. Justice J. B. Clearhugh dismissed the charge against Harris, three times convicted on criminal counts previously, on the grounds the Crown had failed to prove all that was required for conviction.

At the same time Judge Clearhugh said he was "satisfied" Harris and his acquaintance, Melvin Cliff, had intended on Dec. 1, 1952, to rob the Hudson's Bay Company bank messenger.

Cliff, aged 20, of Kirkland Lake, Ont., was arrested with Harris, sitting in a parked car outside the Hudson's Bay Company's Fargard Street entrance. He was charged with the same offense as Harris. It was on his person the revolver was found, and he pleaded guilty to the charge in police court.

He was sentenced to a year in prison.

Judge Clearhugh held that under the law, the Crown would have to prove Harris had knowledge and had given consent to Cliff carrying a gun, before he could be held a party to the crime.

The judge said he felt that Harris probably knew Cliff had the gun, but reiterated "suspicion is not enough to support conviction."

"I want to tell you, you've been pretty lucky," he told Harris in conclusion. "If you want to lead a better life, as you say, you'd better be careful."

HARRIS TESTIFIES

Harris, testifying in his own behalf, said he had cashed a cheque for \$20 at the Hudson's Bay Co. store in November and had subsequently found the cheque was dishonored. He said that on the morning of Dec. 1 he proceeded to the department store, intending to visit the credit department and make some arrangement for clearing the debt.

He said he was about to go into the store when he noticed the car of a friend, Ralph McFadden, and got into it. He was joined by Cliff.

He said he was just sitting in the car waiting for McFadden when police arrested them.

Ernest G. Silvertown, defense counsel, contended this was a reasonable story.

Lloyd G. McKenzie, prosecutor, admitted Crown evidence was circumstantial, but declared: "It's such an elaborate and damning series of circumstances, it requires a lot of explaining away."

"What he can't explain, he denies any knowledge of," Mr. McKenzie observed.

The prosecutor noted three previous convictions against Harris. He was convicted and sentenced to four months in Fort Erie, Ont., in May, 1943, for theft. At that time he used the name Allen Morosnick. He was convicted and sentenced to serve six months in Jan., 1946, for perjury in Toronto. At that time he called himself Allen Steven Tanner. In the same city, under the same name, he was convicted for carrying an unregistered automatic pistol, but on that occasion was given a suspended sentence.

BIG DAY

Married In Jail, Acquitted

Two important events occupied Alan Harris, 25-year-old Winnipeg man, Tuesday afternoon.

At 1.30, at the Victoria city jail, he was married. At 4.30, in Victoria County Court, he was acquitted in a charge of being in possession of an offensive weapon. The charge was laid after an incident Dec. 1, outside the Hudson's Bay Company.

Harris, who is serving a two-month jail term for obtaining \$20 by means of a worthless cheque, was wed to Mary Alison Lee, 26, of Victoria, prior to going to the courthouse to be tried on the weapon charge.

The ceremony was arranged by Harris' defense counsel, Ernest G. Silvertown of Vancouver. He obtained special permission for the ceremony Tuesday morning at the Parliament Buildings and arranged for a Salvation Army officer to perform the service.

Maj. George Crew officiated. Only witnesses were Mr. Silvertown, Harris' father and a police officer.

The bride wore a grey coat, grey shoes and hat. The groom wore a light blue suit and bow tie.

RCAF Officer Cashiered, Jailed for Theft

TORONTO (CP).—An RCAF officer has been sentenced to be cashiered from the service and to serve six months in prison for misappropriating about \$14,000 in RCAF funds during the last 17 months.

PO. O. A. J. Martin, 31-year-old ex-banker and former resident of Ottawa, said at a court-martial Tuesday he began to embezzle money to provide comforts for his family. Then he tried to make it up on the stock market but the market "went the wrong way."

He was arrested three weeks ago.

Cashiering from the service.

Michigan Woman Sues Church for Bingo Loss

FLINT, Mich. (BUP).—Mrs. Irene Walhite has sued St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church and bingo operator Robert Kerner for \$4,000 she claims she lost playing bingo at church over a two-year period.

Her attorney, Sherman Bean, said Mrs. Walhite's losses amounted to more than her earnings during the period. A Michigan law permits recovery of gambling losses, he said.

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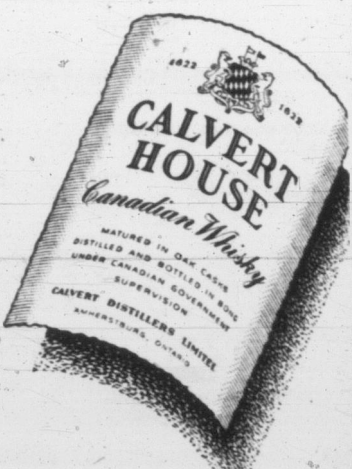
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Island Digest

NANAIMO—Two brothers, R.C.A. Gunners, Ronald and Joseph Graham, charged in police court here Tuesday with automobile theft, were remanded without plea to Jan. 13. They were brought from Victoria for the hearing.

NANAIMO—Dr. W. E. Ricker, editor of publications for the Fisheries Research Board, was elected in Ottawa as chairman of the Canadian Committee on Freshwater Fisheries Research. He is attached to the federal biological station here.

PORT ALBERT—City council has offered a \$50 reward for information regarding persons who damaged 26 of the city's 285 parking meters over the New Year holiday, apparently with a marlin-spike.

CHEMUNUS—A woman resident was calm when a blocked sewer line caused water to back up in her bathtub and

flooded the home to a depth of eight inches. Reeve A. E. Beasley told North Cowichan Council.

"She was a most reasonable woman," he said. "She made no fuss when the water backed up while workmen were trying to clear the line. I ordered workmen to clean-up the mess and authorized the cleaning of her carpets."

The sewer line, on Pine Street, will be relaid.

DUNCAN—North Cowichan council has decided to install lights on wharves at Crofton, Chemainus and Maple Bay, even though councillors feel the job to be a federal responsibility. Appeals to the senior government have brought no action to date, councillors reported.

NANAIMO—Funeral services for Victor George Meakin, 35, partner in the law firm of Leighton, Meakin and Weir, who died Monday, will be held Thursday at St. Paul's Anglican Church.

A short Canadian Legion ceremony will follow at the Cenotaph. Mr. Meakin studied law with Bodwell and Lawson in Victoria and in 1925 was appointed legal adviser to the British consul in Buenos Aires. He served with the army in the First World War and with the navy in the second.

NANAIMO—IXL Dairy, in business for 12 years on Commercial Street, has bought property on Terminal Avenue for construction of a large dairy plant and coffee shop.

Guests Range, 61 to 91 at Turkey Feast

Fifty members of St. Luke's 60-Up Club, ranging in age from 61 to 91, enjoyed a turkey dinner and entertainment in the parish hall, Cedar Hill Cross-road, Tuesday evening.

All the club members came from the cottage village across the road from St. Luke's Church. They were guests of the church, served by the parish guild, Mrs. Edith Bissenden and her member-helpers, and entertained by some of their own number as well as Cdr. Ivan and Mrs. Day, who showed motion pictures.

Cenae Frederic Pike, rector of St. Luke's, was host, who, when the tables had been cleared away and candy passed, introduced the several guests who were to give recitations.

One lady, celebrating her 78th birthday, recited a Christmas story which very greatly moved her audience.

The 60-Up Club meets weekly and is a parish organization.

790 Polio Cases in Manitoba During 1952
WINNIPEG (CP)—Manitoba's 1952 poliomyelitis total has been temporarily set at 790 cases, but it is expected to rise above that figure when final reports are in some months from now.

Officially listed for the past year are 25 deaths, although that total also may rise.

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BOBBY TO LEND HAND, PETER GETS BID, TOO

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — Bobby Locke of South Africa, holder of the British open golf championship, Tuesday night accepted an invitation to play for Canada in the annual match for the John Hopkins Trophy against the United States June 6 and 7.

Locke also recommended Peter Thomson, a young Australian, who will receive an invitation from Canadian officials.

Locke agreed to play, in a trans-oceanic telephone conversation with Emil Collette, president of the Canadian golf sponsors' committee.

Locke played last year, when he defeated Julius Boros, American open champion, in the singles.

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Victoria Shamrocks entered upon a new chapter in their Intercity Lacrosse League history this week with the announcement that Foul Bay will seek entry in the league as a second Victoria team.

Manager Alex Macdonald of the city senior B club must have a few aces up his sleeve otherwise he wouldn't have considered such a step. And just what these trump cards are, Alex will be obliged to show, either this Friday night or on Jan. 23 at the annual Intercity League meeting.

Manager Ralph Baker of the Irish has no objection to Macdonald's application, except to point out that the Intercity League primarily will be interested in the calibre of a team Foul Bay proposes to enter.

And Macdonald's team, says Baker, will have to be revealed this week as the Intercity Clubs gather for their annual policy meeting.

Naturally, Macdonald isn't tipping his hand, although he has strongly intimated that he may have a few surprises for Intercity League officials. However, it is deemed unlikely that Macdonald realized the showdown may come so soon.

Disagreed With Past Team Policy

Macdonald, an executive on the Shamrocks for the past two years, has often been at odds with other members of the governing directorate over team policy and other matters. And one of his main beefs is the fact that he has felt that the Shamrocks erred in the past in not giving enough city senior B players tryouts with the intercity club.

Macdonald also points out that there are certain Victoria players who he feels confident are of Intercity calibre, and who this year may play their lacrosse elsewhere as they hold, perhaps, that door to the Shamrocks is closed to them because of this past policy. It is natural to assume, also, that such players wouldn't return here for senior B competition.

Just how two city clubs would draw is strictly a matter of conjecture. Both undoubtedly would have their following, but spectator-wise and financially, both would have to be on a competitive par to survive.

This is the point which may have the final bearing on Foul Bay's application. Either Macdonald will have to show Intercity officials immediately that he is prepared to strengthen his team up to standards recognized by Intercity officials, or he will be granted a period of absence in which to conclude negotiations he reportedly has begun in regard to such player assistance he deems necessary.

Some Rocks Could Side With Alex

It is not beyond the realm of possibility that Macdonald has his eye on one or two Shamrocks, and undoubtedly the Shamrocks realize this. But just as naturally everyone is keeping mum about their box plans until this latest development is aired before league officials.

It could be, as was stated before, that Macdonald will toss a bombshell before league heads, but it now appears that he may be forced to pull the pin from the grenade sooner than he wished.

At least he is sincere, and having personally spent hundreds of dollars in the past in the furtherance of lacrosse, he should be given an opportunity of proving that sincerity before any decision on Foul Bay's application is reached by Intercity League officials or, as league secretary Tommy Gordon points out, by the league member clubs.

At any rate, watch for a new Shamrock policy of team management to be adopted this year; one that is sorely needed; one which, if concluded as proposed, will flake both players and league officials consider any possible changes more carefully, and one which may be an indirect method of counteracting Macdonald's move.

Regardless, lacrosse should benefit in the final outcome.

Interscholastic Hoop Meet Set Next Week

Fourth annual interscholastic basketball tournament for the Times Trophy, a new cup donated this year, will be held at Victoria High School Jan. 16 and 17.

Competing teams in the invitational event will be Victoria High School, Totems, Royal Roads, Normal School and Victoria College.

Totems are defending champions, having won the trophy in 1952 and 1950. College took 1951 honors.

College will meet Normal School in the opening game of the knockout series Friday, Jan. 16, at 7.30, with Royal Roads, in the second game of the semi-final series at 9.

Winner of the preliminary night's games will meet in the tournament final on Saturday, Jan. 17, starting at 9, with the losers meeting in the consolation round at 7.30.

Vic High director of Athletics Laurie Wallace says in regard to the series: "Those who think basketball is dead in the city should try and get a seat in the gym on those two nights. There won't be one to be had."

Most popular pre-tourney outside of the annual Vancouver Island inter-high champion-ship, the interscholastic event this year will take local precedence, as the island championship series are scheduled for Alberni at the end of February.

FOUL BAY APPLICATION TO BE DECIDED ON MERITS

Boxla Bombshell Touchy Issue

By DENNY BOYD

Alex Macdonald's statement that he is applying for an Intercity Lacrosse League franchise on behalf of Foul Bay has brought diverse reactions but most local lacrosse officials appear to be taking a slightly skeptical "wait and see" attitude.

Macdonald, retiring vice-president of the Victoria Shamrocks and coach of Foul Bay of the Senior B League, told The Times Monday he is seeking a franchise for his club, a move that would give Victoria two senior representative teams.

Macdonald stated it is the wish of the players to move up and, due to the fact that several of the players have received offers from Mainland clubs, he feels that if Foul

Bay does not move up as a team, they will be forced to disband.

Shamrock president Ralph Baker said Tuesday, "regardless of what happens in Victoria next year, the Shamrocks will be just as strong if not stronger than last year."

Coach Arnold Ferguson remarked, "It would probably be a good idea to have two teams if there were enough players for both of them."

"There are lacrosse players and then there are lacrosse players, if you know what I mean. And around here there are only a certain number of players with the experience needed for the Intercity League."

"As the Canadian championship is to be played on the coast this year, I personally would like to see one good strong team from Victoria, rather than one fair team and

one mediocre team. In that way we'd have more chance of bringing the Mann Cup here. A thing like this requires a tremendous amount of thought."

Ed Popham Sr., local representative of the Intercity Lacrosse Commission, stated bluntly, "let him (Macdonald) keep on talking. The commission, as far as I know, has heard nothing official about him applying for a franchise. If his intentions are right and if he goes through the proper channels, his application will be considered and the commission will make a decision. But I have heard nothing about it."

Because of his intentions, Macdonald has resigned from the Shamrock executive. His letter of resignation was received at a Shamrock player meeting Monday night and was accepted. Team presi-

dent Andy Ovcharick has also indicated that he is resigning but has not yet filed a letter of resignation with the team.

With regards to the player meeting, team captain Duff McGaghey was enthusiastic that a new organizational plan would help to cement the Rocks as a club.

He suggested that the Shamrocks vote in a board of directors to govern the team's business instead of having the working executive take care of everything — a situation that McGaghey admitted has caused some hard feeling on the club in the past. The plan would have a group of local business men handle all off-the-floor business.

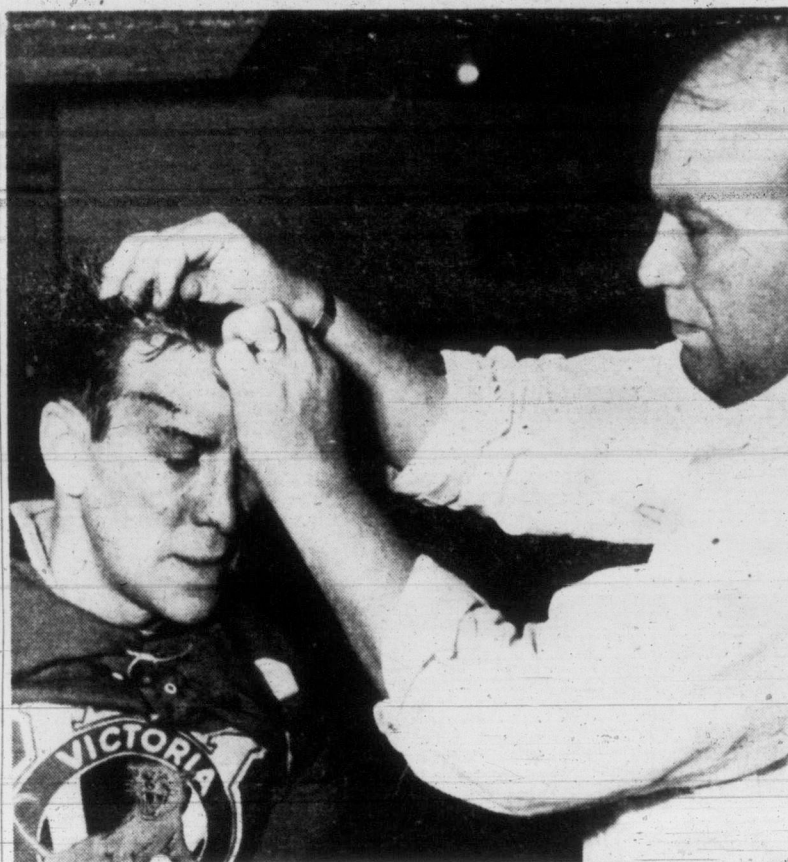
With regards to Macdonald's plan, McGaghey said he felt that the league would be stronger all round next year and there would not be

enough players for two teams here.

League secretary Tommy Gordon asserted that all he knew about the move was that Macdonald had approached him last season to enquire about the procedure of application.

Gordon stated that, rather than being a decision for the commission, it would be up to the member clubs themselves to vote in or reject another team at the annual league meeting January 23 when the new commission will be elected.

He added that Macdonald would certainly have to declare the strength of his club to merit any consideration from the clubs. "The commission and the other clubs would not want to take the chance of having another Nanaimo," he added.



More Needlework for Jerry

Since he has been with Victoria Cougars, goalie Jerry Cotnoir has had about as many stitches put in his face as an elderdown quilt. He had three more added Tuesday night, when Cougars bowed 3-2 to New Westminster Royals at Memorial Arena; in probably the most freakish of all his mishaps. A hard shot bounced off Ivan Irvin's

shoulder and caught Cotnoir above the eye, laying the skin open to the bone. To make it worse, the puck went into the net for the first Royal goal. After being stitched by the club doctor, Cotnoir is shown having the blood swabbed from his hair by trainer George Wilkinson. He returned to play brilliantly. (Times photo by Irving Strickland.)

Sedgman Takes Kramer In Pro Tennis Debut

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Australia's great tennis champion, Frank Sedgman, took all Jack Kramer had to offer in the first set and came from behind to whip the ruling king of the professionals 3-6, 6-4, 6-4 Tuesday night.

\$12,000 HELPED COMFORT JACK

LOS ANGELES (AP) — In few words, but with his smile doing a lot of talking for him, Frank Sedgman today dismissed his victorious pro tennis debut against Jack Kramer.

"That's one night out of the way," he said. "I think it was very good."

Sedgman was obviously happy at his fast start.

Kramer, the promoter, wasn't too downcast at his defeat. "We took in \$12,000," he said.

Hopman Rates Sedgman First

MELBOURNE (AP) — Harry Hopman, captain of Australia's Davis Cup team, today ranked three Australians and four Americans among the first 10 amateur tennis players in the world for 1952.

The first and fourth players, Australia's Frank Sedgman and Ken McGregor, have since turned professional.

Hopman ranked them in this order: 1—Frank Sedgman, Australia. 2—Jaroslav Drobny, Egypt. 3—Vic Seixas, United States. 4—Ken McGregor, Australia. 5—Mervyn Rose, Australia. 6—Gardner Mulloy, United States. 7—Dick Savitt, United States. 8—Art Larsen, United States. 9—Eric Sturgess, South Africa. 10—Paolo Gardini, Italy.

Boyd to Sox

CHICAGO (AP) — Bob Boyd, Negro first baseman whose .320 batting average for Seattle led the Pacific Coast League last season, was signed by the Chicago White Sox Tuesday for 1953. Boyd, 27, belted 205 hits in 161 games at Seattle, marking the third season he has batted over .300.

Thus the 25-year-old former world's No. 1 amateur player made his pro debut a winning one. But fellow countryman Ken McGregor, Sedgman's partner and co-hero of the Aussie Davis Cup victory over the U.S. last month, fell before the two-handed attack of Pancho Segura of Ecuador, 6-2, 7-5.

Sedgman and McGregor won the windup doubles match 11-9, 6-3. This occasioned no surprise. The Aussies as a team rate as the finest in the world, pro or amateur.

Their pro debut was staged before a near capacity crowd of about 7,000 fans.

It was the first of a 90-match schedule on a tour that Sedgman signed to play for a guarantee of \$75,000 and McGregor \$25,000.

Ellsworth Vines, a tennis king pin before he became a golf pro, witnessed Tuesday night's match. He picks Sedgman to win the most matches on the tour.

Old-timer Bill Tilden said it and thought otherwise. He said Big Jake, as Kramer is known, needs a few matches with the skilled likes of Sedgman, and will again emerge on top.

Kramer termed Sedgman's second serve "the best I ever ran into."



BUDDY CURTIS

Meeting Steve Gob in a rematch on wrestling promoter Ken Williamson's main event Thursday at the Victoria Ballroom will be Buddy Curtis. Angelo Martinielli will take on the Great Zimba in the semi-main, while Carl Engstrom will tangle with Rex Gordon in the special event opener at 8.30.

SAWCHUCK RETURNS

DETROIT (BUP) — Terry Sawchuck, Detroit goalie who was injured in a pre-Christmas practice session, said today he expected to return to action Sunday night against the Toronto Maple Leafs.

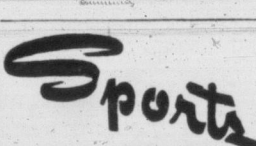
Shamateurism Scored

MELBOURNE (Reuters) — The growth of shamateurism in sport. The Melbourne Argus asked if a tennis star receiving such plush benefits is "fit to rub shoulders with blue ribbon amateurs."

"If we can't answer that one, we had better get back to tennis on the vicar's lawn and call it a day," the newspaper says. Sedgman and McGregor's reply to inducements was to sign up with Jack Kramer's pro tennis group. Kramer has guaranteed Sedgman \$75,000 for 1953, and McGregor \$25,000.

The Sun News Pictorial says such amenities would "provoke cynical reflections on the

Cougar Confusion Confounds Critics



Look Bad, Then Good in Narrow Loss to Royals

New Westminster 3, Victoria 2

By BILL WALKER

Confusion of a type reigned at Memorial Arena Tuesday night as Victoria Cougars bowed 3-2 in defeat to New Westminster Royals and sunk deeper into the Western Hockey League cellar.

It was perplexing, to say the least, how one team—the Cougars—could look so bad for two periods, the first in particular, and then play so well in the third.

It was disconcerting that the Royals, who were so roundly outplayed in the final 20 minutes, took that particular phase of the game to score two of the three goals that provided them with a victory, breaking their sixth-place tie with Edmonton Flyers.

It was an act of malpractice that goalie Jerry Cotnoir, who turned in such a creditable game in the first two periods, in the process suffering a skull-deep two-inch gash, should in the end be the victim of a defeat he

alone certainly didn't deserve.

It was perplexing also, that referee Bill Knott and linesman Ross Valliere couldn't agree that the Royals at one time in the third period for about 10 seconds in duration had seven men on the ice when the Cougars were exerting terrific pressure. And it was injudicious that Stan Maxwell, who had played such a forceful game throughout, took an occasion when Knott was watching him the closest to slash at a Royal in the Cougar zone.

Yes, it was confusing that the Cougars came from such depths to such heights and eventually lose, it being their fifth straight game without victory.

Jerry Kept the Cats in the Game

The Cougars were so bad in those first two periods, it's thankful that Cotnoir didn't share that ineptitude, else it might have been said: They stunk out the house, which incidentally, was the smallest of the year. The Royals smelled no sweeter to 3,700 fans.

Only in the second period, and then briefly, did the Cougars show any fire. And that was after the first Royal goal, a shot by Pete Durham at 4:50, which ricocheted off Ivan Irvin's shoulder, hit Cotnoir above the eye and trickled into the net. Cotnoir fell prone to the ice with blood spilling from a deep gash above the right eye.

The game was delayed 24 minutes awaiting his return, and a triumphant one it was for the little guy. He was the lone bulwark between the Royals and a rout, except for two good tries and two equally good saves by

Lucien Dechene on Doug Anderson and Andy Heberton.

Then came the third period into which the Cougars jammed enough hockey to win a couple of games, only to have the supreme effort backfire disconcertingly but probably justifiably.

The Royals were hemmed tight in their own zone for almost all of the first five minutes until Pratt sent a seventh Royal on the ice to relieve the pressure. Knott called the play dead when he realized something—he didn't know what—was up.

He admitted afterwards that he never saw the seventh Royal, but that Valliere, when he spotted the miscreant, said the supernumary was attempting to get off the ice. Thus no penalty. Thus Cougars lost possession of the puck, and drew a horse laugh from Pratt.

Dazzling Finish Falls Short

However, the prolonged attack finally paid off a few minutes later as Doug Anderson took Colin Kilburn's rebound to beat Dechene and tie the score at seven minutes.

The Cougars kept up the torrid pace until Maxwell acted in an imprudent manner at 9:07 and drew his slashing penalty, which he protested bitterly, but naturally, to no avail.

That virtually killed the Cougar goose as Ollie Dorohoy blasted a Ken Uilyot rebound off the boards past Cotnoir from point-blank range at 10:26. An intercepted pass from Irvin by Don Slater and Max McNab's sliding shot under Cotnoir's sprawling form at 12:47 put the cap on the Royal win.

Dismayed but undaunted the Cougars struck again. Eddie

Dorohoy by sheer determination banging his own rebound off an Andy Heberton pass, the puck having been stolen by Heberton in the Royal zone at 15:40 to close the gap to its final 3-2 count.

The final hectic minutes in which again the Cougars did everything but drive Dechene out of the south end of the building was highlighted by the best fist fight of the year.

Those two old favorites, Irwin and Durham, slugged it out toe to toe until Irwin applied an old-fashioned hamperlock and Durham, for the second time this year, was a one-fall loser.

Cotnoir was pulled for a fifth attacker in the final 80 seconds and the frustration was complete as the game ended with Dorohoy's slap shot skidding by the post.

Senick Again Threat for Scoring Lead

George Senick of Saskatoon marked his return to the Western Hockey League Tuesday night by firing two goals and setting up another pair as Saskatoon Quakers trimmed Seattle 5-2.

The Quaker winger currently has 19 goals and 27 assists for 46 points, five behind his league-leading teammate, Alex Kaleta, who picked up a goal in the same game to bring his season's record to 15 goals and 36 assists for 51 points.

Eddie Dorohoy and Colin Kilburn of Cougars each picked up a point as Victoria bowed, 3-2, to New Westminster. Dorohoy's point came in the form of a goal to put him into seventh spot with 14 goals and 24 assists for 38 points, while Kilburn secured an assist to bring his record to 15 goals and 22 assists for 37 points, one behind the Cats' skipper.

Leading scorers follow:

	A	P	Pts
Kaleta, Saskatoon	15	36	51
Senick, Saskatoon	15	27	42
Berthel, Edmonton	12	25	43
Kerr, Tacoma	12	29	41
Adams, Calgary	12	29	41
Sladick, Edmonton	19	21	40
Adams, Tacoma	19	29	39
Clark, Saskatoon	15	24	39
Filion, Seattle	18	20	38
Wright, Seattle	14	24	38
Kilburn, Victoria	15	22	37
Macintosh, Vancouver	17	19	36

14 Rinks Enter 'Spiel

A total of 14 rinks have entered the second weekly bonspiel at the Duncan Curling Rink Sunday.

Included in the entrants are two rinks from Nanaimo and three from Lake Cowichan.

Tonight's draw and results follow:

Wednesday's draw: 7 o'clock—Pete Pratt vs. Albert Atkinson; Harvey Dodge vs. Larry Marshall; Bud Clites vs. Ole Panzer; Ron Harper vs. Harold Brooks; L. Edson vs. Don Brining.

9 o'clock—Tom Brewer vs. Joe Giffel; Clayton Wright vs. Tony Lamontagne; Cyril Lee vs. Frank Middlemas; Jarvis Jickling vs. Glen Berkey; A. Heberton vs. D. Hogan.

Tuesday's results: 7 o'clock—Joe Giffel 12, Van Dobben 7; Dick Price 9, Paul Wheeler 7; Clayton Wright 4, A. B. Masters 3; Bob Brining 10, Yonkes 6; H. S. McCreath 11, Forde 6; Mrs. Sylvia Koster 8, Bill Forde 6; John Dodd 6, defeated to Hugh Gibson; Bud Clites 12, Charlie Pratt 9; Cliff Walz 10, Maurice Dayman 6; Fred Cummings 8, Ross Marshall 7.

Correspondence Chess Tourney

The sixth annual correspondence chess tournament sponsored by the B.C. Chess Federation will get under way Jan. 15.

Former participants should renew their memberships before that date. No experience is needed.

Applications and inquiries should be sent to J. Wilson, 230 Maple Avenue, Chilliwack, B.C.

Senick Aids Quakers, Stamps Tie Rockets

By the Canadian Press

The healing of George Senick's thumb and Hank Blade's last-minute gamble helped Saskatoon Quakers to a win and enabled Calgary Stampede to preserve a record in Tuesday night's Western Hockey League play.

Senick, out of action since Dec. 10 with a broken digit, resumed his career in sparkling fashion, scoring two goals and making plays for two others as Saskatoon Quakers defeated Seattle Bombers 5-2.

Calgary Stampede were trailing Tacoma Rockets 4-3 when coach Blade pulled goalie Phil Hughes for another forward. The tactic paid off. Roy Kelly notching the equalizer in the final seconds for a 4-4 tie.

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January Full Month In Kins' Cage Slate

Curling Tips

By BONSPIELER

This is the eighth in a series dealing with the fine points of curling, written by a man who is well versed in the game that is growing in popularity on Vancouver Island.

The instructional articles, each dealing with a single facet of the mechanics of curling, will appear in The Times regularly, and are guaranteed to make a first-class curler out of the most inexperienced novices if they are followed religiously.

NO RIDERS, PLEASE

One thing I have observed in watching hundreds of American curlers in Minnesota and Wisconsin is that there are no riding sliders among them. Why? . . . I thought that over a long time before realizing that in the milder climate farther south, they have to play many games on wet ice when the weather turns warm. Have you ever tried to throw a brick "runner" on wet, sloppy ice? Then try to throw a really fast rock by riding out with the stone first.

Many American curlers have developed a beautiful swing delivery as a result of their experience on soft ice, and in most cases they are deadly on fast take-out shots. It would therefore sound logical that a riding slider would be completely helpless on wet ice and similarly he would not be too effective where a fast shot was required. When I select a player for my team, I want a man who can perform well under all conditions.

The second big complaint about a rider is that he is a pusher and he frequently hooks or slices his stone as he gives the handle a twist when he releases it. The head-aches he gives himself and his skip by being wide or narrow of the broom so often, you think would make him see the error of his ways, but no . . . he goes on in blissful ignorance . . . probably blaming his misses on the ice, his skip or his bad luck. Of course, the law of averages will grant him a few games where he is "red hot," but in the long run he will rarely see the curling light, and his opposing skips will be grateful for the occasion he gives their aggravated ulcers.

GORDIE PETRIE SERIOUSLY ILL

Fund Started for Ex-Navy Puckster

Gordie Petrie used to have a lot of friends in Victoria. When he played here during the war in the old amateur league, he was one of the most popular players in the league.

Gordie played on a Navy line with Bernie Strongman and Hal Brown. After the war he went with San Diego of the PCIL.

No matter where he played, Gordie always gave fans everything he had, hockeywise.

Now it is time for hockey fans to do something for Gordie.

Only 33 years old, a family man with two sons, Gordie will never walk again and is not expected to live more than five years.

Stricken with polio, he is confined to an iron lung, completely paralyzed.

Former teammates have started a fund to make Petrie's life a little happier and to take care of his family.

Locally, Lester Patrick has donated \$100 and the Cougar players themselves have started a fund.

If any of his former fans wish to repay him for the entertainment he afforded them as a player, the Cougar club would be only too happy to take donations at 825 Fort Street.

Maxim Quickly Falls From Favor of NBA

WASHINGTON (AP) — Last month Archie Moore took away Joey Maxim's light heavyweight title on a decision. Now the National Boxing Association, in its quarterly ratings, has followed through on Maxim with a verbal knockout.

Normally a champion who gets licked slips down a notch to become the No. 1 challenger. But the NBA decided Maxim wasn't a logical contender at all.

It rates Harold Johnson of Pennsylvania and Harry Matthews of Washington as one-two behind Moore. Maxim wound up merely as an "outstanding boxer."

The NBA has repeatedly criticized Maxim for his reluctance to put his title on the line.

WALCOTT RATED NO. 1

By contrast, the NBA puts Joe Walcott right behind the man who took away his heavyweight title, Rocky Marciano.

And Randy Turpin, who once held the middleweight "title" briefly, was put in the No. 1 spot for the championship left vacant by Sugar Ray Robinson's retirement.

The NBA said it would be a good idea for Turpin, an Englishman, to fight Charles Humez of France. The winner then could be matched with the winner of a U.S. tournament for the world's title.

Chuck Davey of Michigan, is coming along fine with the NBA, too, although maybe not as rapidly. If rated Johnny Saxton of New York, Johnny Bratton of Illinois and then Davey as the logical contenders for the welterweight title now held by Cuba's Kid Gavilan.

LFI Arthur King of Toronto

was rated second among the outstanding boxers in the light-weight class, but was not placed among the logical contenders.

Jimmy Carter of New York, is the champion of the class.

Other ratings:

Pratherweight: Champion—Sandy Saddler new in the U.S. army.

Logical contenders—Ray Farnham, France; Percy Bassett, Pennsylvania; Tommy Collins, Massachusetts; Willie Fox, Connecticut.

Bantamweight: Champion—Jimmy Carruthers, Australia.

Logical contenders—Vic Tewel, South Africa; Maurice Sanderson, France; Gaston Annaloro, Italy.

Featherweight: Champion—Yoshio Shirai, Japan.

Logical contender—Jake Tuli, South Africa.

World Meet Rejected

VANCOUVER (CP)—A suggestion that the world figure skating championships be held in conjunction with the 1954 British Empire Games here was rejected Tuesday by the executive committee of the Empire Games Society.

The proposal was put forward by the Vancouver Skating Club.

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Poulsbo Here on Saturday

January will be a hectic month for Victoria's basketball-playing Kins.

On the docket for this month are games with Poulsbo All Stars, Vancouver Elfers, Vancouver Clover Leafs, Alberni Athletics and to wind it up, the Kinsmen Invitational Tournament on the last two days of the month.

The grind starts Saturday night when Kins are host to Poulsbo, a veteran squad from outside of Seattle. The club is led by huge Tiny Arndt, four-year star with Washington State College and a member of Seattle Alpine Dairy last year.

The following week-end night Kins will make their first road trip off the island this season to repay earlier visits here by Clover Leafs and Elfers.

Kins met Clover Leafs (whom they beat here) on the Friday night and take on Elfers Saturday night. Kins lost a two-point decision to Elfers in Victoria.

The following Saturday, Jan. 24, finds Kins once again invading Alberni to resume rivalry with Harry Kermode and his polished Athletics.

KINSMEN TOURNEY

The Kinsmen Tournament, once one of the top sports spectacles of the year in pre-war days, will be held Jan. 30 and 31. Invitations have been accepted by Alberni, Buchans Bakery and defending champion Alpine Dairy. Manager Pat Horgan is attempting to secure the Bay Street Armories for the show.

Two games will be played each night, losers of the first games Friday meeting Saturday night in the preliminary while preliminary round winners tangle in the Saturday feature for the trophy.

HOCKEY RESULTS

MARITIME MAJOR

Charlottetown 3, Sydney 4.

Halifax 2, Gloucester 2.

NEW BRUNSWICK SENIOR

Moncton 3, Fredericton 4.

QUEBEC SENIOR

Shawinigan Falls 2, Chicoutimi 3.

Riverbrooke 4, Valleyfield 2.

QUEBEC JUNIOR

Three Rivers 2, Montreal Royals 3.

ONTARIO-QUEBEC SENIOR

St. Michael's 1, Montreal Canadiens 4.

ONTARIO SENIOR

Barnia 4, Brantford 5.

ONTARIO JUNIOR

Windsor 1, St. Catharines 3.

NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR

Geit 4, Kitchener 3.

OKANAGAN SENIOR

Kelowna 7, Vernon 1.

KAMLOPSA 4, PENTICTON 2.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR

Spokane 1, Nelson 7.

THUNDER BAY SENIOR

Port William 4, Port Arthur 6.

ARGO PRESIDENT

TORONTO (CP)—Bill Ross, president of the Argonaut Rowing Club, Tuesday night was elected president of the Argonaut Football Club by acclamation. He succeeds Bob Moran.

City Puck Takes Night Off Monday

There will be no Commercial Hockey next Monday night.

To make way for the Ice Cycles, the CHL will close shop and take a night off from Memorial Arena.

Next regular league action will take place the following Monday, Jan. 19, with Vancouver Pilseners the special guest.

Pilseners of the Vancouver Commercial Hockey League, will meet Navy in the feature game, while Merchants and Individuals tangle in the 7:30 opener.

PN GOLF AT COLWOOD IN '54

The 1954 Pacific Northwest Golf Association men's and women's championships will be held at the Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club.

Uplands Golf Club will act as the assisting club for the tournament, to be held on dates to be announced later.

It had been reported previously that both Victoria Golf Club and Colwood had applied for the tourney.

The decision to hold the event at Colwood was reached a short time ago.

Victoria Club, with Uplands assisting, last hosted the PN GA in Victoria in 1948.

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Dunn Levied Token Fine

EDMONTON, Alta. (BUP)—The Edmonton boxing commission has slapped a \$25 fine on George Dunn, light-weight champion of the Pacific Northwest, and a \$100 fine on his manager, Sam Lewin of Hartford, Conn.

The Edmonton scrapper had his purse held up for staging a brief sit-down strike on Boxing Day in protest of John Smith refereeing the non-title fight against Carlos Chavez of Los Angeles. Dunn went on to win the bout with a TKO in the 10th round.

Lewin was fined because he wrote letters to matchmaker Jack Berry telling him to instruct Dunn to refuse to fight if Smith was referee.

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Bantam Hockey

Games scheduled in the bantam division of the Victoria Minor Hockey association for the month of January, follow:

Jan. 10, 6 a.m., Capitals vs. Bruins and Senators vs. Maroons; 7 a.m., Rovers vs. Flyers.

Jan. 24, 6 a.m., Capitals vs. Senators and Bruins vs. Maroons; 7 a.m., Flyers vs. Rovers.

Jan. 31, 6 a.m., Capitals vs. Maroons and Bruins vs. Senators; 7 a.m., Flyers vs. Rovers.

GAME POSTPONED

The NHL game scheduled for Tuesday night at Chicago was postponed because of an ice revue playing there. A new date has not yet been announced.

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At Victoria High, Eaglettes juvenile girls will meet Eaglettes bantam girls in the opener at 7, to be followed one hour later by an exhibition contest between St. Louis College juvenile boys and King Realty senior A women.

At Esquimalt High School, Eagles will take on First United in a bantam boys' match at 7, followed by a junior men's game between Dickinson and Dunn and Scott & Peden at 8.

The feature will see Vampire juvenile boys tangle with Victoria College junior men.

SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10
AT ESQUIMALT HIGH
7 p.m.—Preliminary game to be announced later.
8:30 p.m.—Victoria Kins vs. Seattle Paulines, exhibition senior "A" men.
MONDAY, JANUARY 12
AT VICTORIA HIGH
7 p.m.—Bantam boys: Eagles vs. First United.
8 p.m.—Juvenile girls: St. Louis College vs. Vancouver.
9 p.m.—Senior "B" men: Veterans of France vs. Arrow Furniture.
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14
AT VICTORIA HIGH
7 p.m.—Exhibition—Eaglettes middle girls vs. Eaglettes bantam girls.
8 p.m.—Exhibition—C & C Taxi Junior women vs. King's Realty senior women.
AT ESQUIMALT HIGH
7 p.m.—Middle boys: Tillicums vs. St. Louis College.
8 p.m.—Junior men: Eagles vs. St. Louis College.
9 p.m.—Junior men: Dickinson & Dunn vs. Scott & Peden.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 17
AT ESQUIMALT HIGH
7 p.m.—First United vs. Tillicums, middle boys.
8 p.m.—Junior men: Dickinson & Dunn vs. Victoria College.
9 p.m.—Senior "B" men: Butler's Ace vs. Chinese Students.

SPORTS MENU

BASKETBALL
VICTORIA HIGH—7. Eaglettes juvenile girls vs. Eaglettes bantam girls.
St. Louis College juvenile boys vs. King Realty senior A women.
ESQUIMALT HIGH SCHOOL—7. Bantam boys: Eagles vs. First United.
8. Junior men: Dickinson & Dunn vs. Scott & Peden.
9. Vancouver juvenile boys vs. Victoria College junior men.
SACRAMENTO, Calif.—Earl Turner, 163 Richmond Calif., outpointed Woody Harter, 156, Oakland, Calif., 10.

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Liberals Must Claim Due Credit—Campney

DUNCAN—The Liberal party must forego the virtue of modesty and begin to claim due credit for its accomplishments. Hon. Ralph Campney, QC, said here Tuesday night.

Addressing the Cowichan-Newcastle Liberal Association, Mr. Campney, Canada's solicitor-general who is slated for the post of associate minister of national defense, said that since its return to power in 1935 the Liberals have provided Canada with the best government the country ever had.

"As a party, we have achieved mightily in their interests but we have not built up our credit with the people to anything like the degree warranted by our accomplishments," he said.

After pulling the country out of the greatest depression it had ever experienced, the Liberal government, Mr. Campney said, led the Canadian people through the greatest war in history, successfully meeting every problem, military, social and economic which arose in those six hard years. Then, the war over, Liberals did a job of rehabilitation that was unequalled in spite of chilling CCF prophecies that the country was on the verge of a great depression.

LIBERAL HISTORY

"All this is recent history," he said, "but it is fruitful his-

tory and in the main it is Liberal history."

Since then, he continued, the party's wise policies and leadership have brought Canada into the greatest period of industrial expansion and development in its history.

POINTS TO PROGRESS

Mr. Campney cited, as examples of the country's industrial progress under a Liberal government, the discovery of high-grade iron ore deposits in Ontario, the immense development on the Quebec-Labrador boundary, the development of oil and gas resources on the prairies and in B.C. and the great aluminum project at Kitimat.

He quoted the U.S. magazine Fortune and the London Economist to the effect that Canada was not only greatly favored with abundant resources but that it had the political wisdom to use that wealth wisely.

Meanwhile, Mr. Campney said, the Liberal Party has never forgotten that the country's greatest resources is its manpower.

"... And the well-being of those men who constitute that manpower and of their wives and families, is the chief aim and interest of Liberal policy," he said.

SMALL FAMILY TAX-RIDDEN, SAYS PEARKES

Family Pays \$442.64 Over Income Tax

A young couple with two children and an income of \$3,000 per year paid an estimated \$442.64 in hidden taxes in 1952, Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, said Tuesday night in a criticism of federal expenditures.

"The same couple will pay \$124.50 in income tax," he told a Saanich Progressive Conservative Association meeting in Lake Hill Hall. "I think that is excessive and that we were justified in criticizing the government for excessive taxation."

His lengthy review took the finance department to task for collecting a surplus of \$288,000,000 in taxes—"almost a million dollars per day more than was needed"—and the national defense department for extravagance.

"Mr. Abbott has declared there is no waste or duplication,"

but traveling expenses cost the government \$46,500,000 in one year," he said. "Publicity cost \$17,500,000, and our armed services cost of \$17,000 per man per year is the highest of any nation in the world."

He discussed the Currie report in detail, but was chiefly concerned with the "inaccurate" information given in the House of Commons by Defense Minister Brooke Claxton.

"The report reached the department December 1," he said. "The same day George Drew asked when it would be tabled, and was told by the minister that he understood it would be available within two weeks."

"On December 4, Mr. Drew asked if there had been any recommendations, written or oral, or interim reports," Gen. Pearkes said. "The minister replied that he had had no communication with Mr. Currie other than to ask him if he was

getting the information he required."

"Yet the report itself states that interim suggestions were seized upon and certain reforms carried out," the general said.

"A minister of the Crown must give correct and accurate information. Our system of government depends on it, yet here is a case where accurate information was not given."

Among the criticisms his party had made in the House was the situation in the fishing industry, where he said B.C. tuna fleets were tied up while Japanese-caught tuna was sold in Canada.

"I read in an American paper that 2,555 tons of frozen tuna was exported from Japan to

Canada last year, in addition to \$400,000 worth of other fish products," he said. "Yet much of our salmon pack from last year is unsold."

He said the Progressive Conservatives will not insist on introduction of hurried health insurance legislation during the present session, but will move toward "a sound national health insurance policy."

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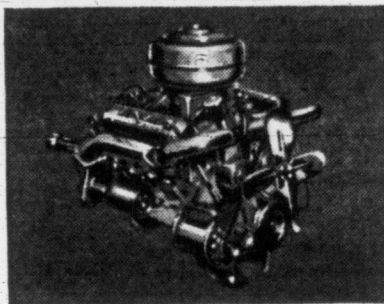
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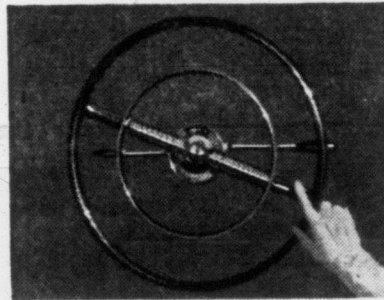
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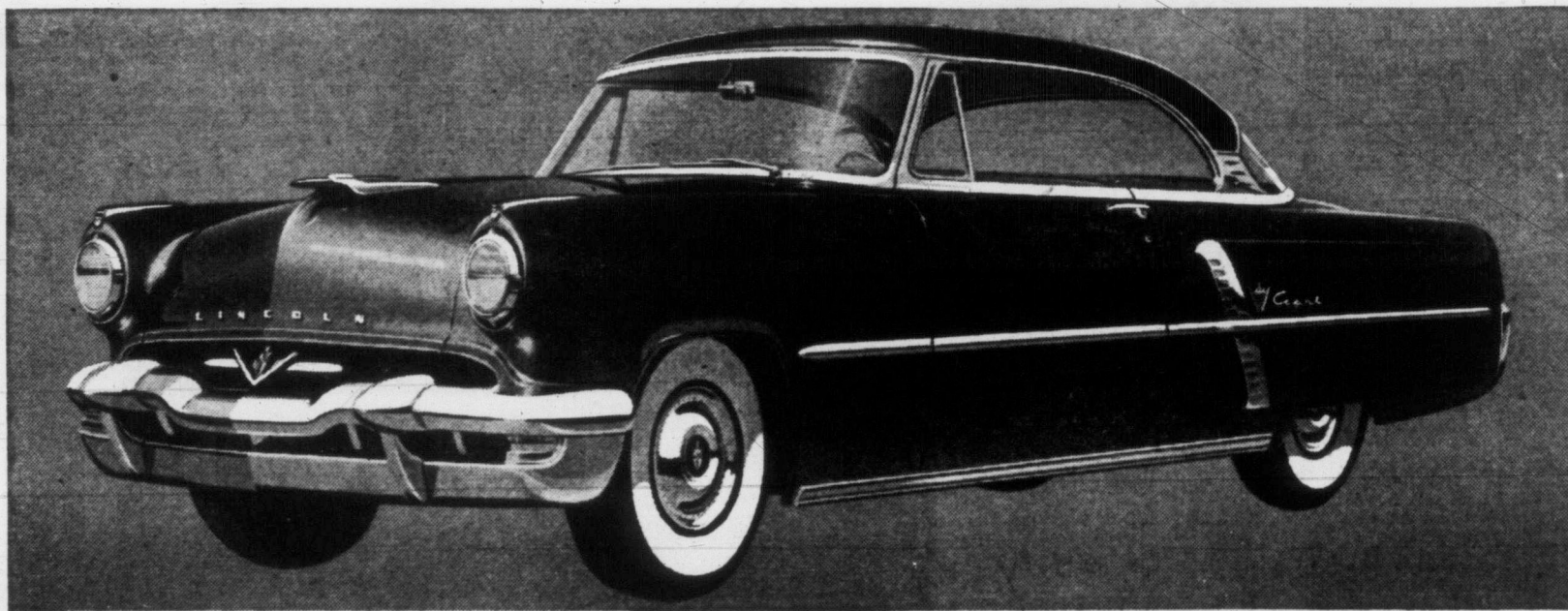
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Saanich Liberals Name Former MLA Ash for Spring Election

Arthur Ash, former M.L.A., was nominated again Tuesday night to carry the Liberal banner in Saanich riding in the coming provincial general election.

Saanich Liberals are the first group in the province to choose a candidate for British Columbia's second election within a year expected to be called in the spring.

Mr. Ash's choice was unanimous. He was nominated by Len Hobbs.

The candidate represented Saanich in the legislature from 1948 until 1952, when defeated by a slim margin by C.C.F.-er Frank Snowsall. He was first elected in a by-election in Saanich in 1948.

In thanking the nominating convention, Mr. Ash said there is a big job facing him in the next few months and "no candidate can do it alone."

"It will not be good enough to have your active support a few days before the election. We need your active support from tonight on," he declared.

Mr. Ash suggested the Saanich Liberal Association set up a ways and means committee to formulate plans for the election.

"If we all pull together there is no reason why we cannot regain the confidence of the people of Saanich. Let us see that success is not snatched from us by a few votes like it was last time," stated the candidate.

He then swung into an attack on the Social Credit government.

Said he: "Under the cloak of Christianity, they slyly tell the people they have had dishonest government in the past, and that all politicians not of their own leanings are not sincere in their desire to serve the people. They forget that it has been the old parties that have made this province and Canada great by enacting sound economic policies for the benefit of all."

He stressed that "no party can claim it's the only Christian party."

LIGHT UNDER BUSHES

"We don't stand on the hill-top and cry out our religion," said the speaker. "There are honest Christians in all parties."

Mr. Ash said Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Health Minister Eric Martin don't seem to agree on whether hospital insurance is now compulsory or voluntary.

"Their conflicting statements have bewildered the public and many persons are not paying their premiums. I think we'll see a large deficit in the hospital insurance scheme," he said.

The candidate contended the plan is in jeopardy because the new government has ignored the recommendations of the hospital insurance inquiry board.

In conclusion, Mr. Ash stated: "The Liberal party is not dead, but we did get rid of a lot of dead wood after the last election."

"It's amazing how some people, after the Screders were elected, suddenly saw the light and joined that party."

"The majority of these types are simply political opportunists. We are better off without them."

Liberals Will Stand On Record—Sinclair

Canada's Liberal government will stand on its record in the coming federal election campaign, and "not climb to power by shoddy use of the pulpit," Fisheries Minister James Sinclair promised at a Saanich Liberal nominating convention Tuesday night.

This was only one of several verbal slaps the Coast-Capilano M.P. took at the Social Credit party during a 45-minute address at Liberal headquarters, Government Street.

Criticizing former Liberals who have jumped on the Social Credit bandwagon, Mr. Sinclair said: "In your long years of power in B.C. you gathered slime and barnacles on your organization. But these will be cleaned off during your time in opposition and you'll see who are the real Liberals."

The former parliamentary assistant to Finance Minister Douglas Abbott said Social Credit arose in B.C. because the Tories failed and because Herbert Anscomb "passed over" Mr. Bennett and Mrs. Tilly Roilston.

He warned this pair doesn't know any more about Social Credit now than they did when they were elected.

Speaking with the Liberal government's record, he said: "Look at what we took over from the Tories in 1935 and look at Canada today."

When the Liberals came to power in that year, he said, one-third of the people was unemployed and trade was almost at a standstill.

Now, he continued, employment is at a high level and Canada stands as the world's third trading nation.

Value of production has increased from \$3,000,000,000 in 1935 to \$23,000,000,000 in 1952.

"We think the best social security for Canadians is good jobs—not fancy legislation on books," said Mr. Sinclair.

The Liberal government, he said, financed the Second World War better than any other country.

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New Video Tape Will Take Filmless Movies

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By ALINE MOSBY

HOLLYWOOD (UP)—The latest flash in the theatres vs. television battle is TV movies without film.

Bing Crosby's Foundation announced today it will release within a year its new video tape recorder that records images, as well as sound, on tape. Now a film or live TV show can be shot with a television camera and recorded, images and all, on tape. Then the movie-maker can play the tape back, without waiting for any film to be developed. Just like on those home tape and wire recorders.

This means you'll be seeing more and better "kinescopes," of films, of live television shows, and more TV movies. When and if the movie studios get around to the invention, they can turn out their theatre epics

faster and cheaper, too. After each scene, the director can play back the tape and tell what he has immediately instead of waiting until the next day to view "rushes" of developed film.

But television will benefit most from the new invention. They can use it to photograph and immediately transmit films of actual news events.

Recent demonstrations of the gadget mark the only times that motion pictures have been projected on a screen without the use of any film—just tape.

Movie studios are digging deep for new inventions in their battle with television for entertainment fans. Producer Sol Lesser bought the American rights to the English three-dimensional movie system, Triopticon, for these three-sided movies and the audience must have special glasses, the same as for Hollywood's "natural vision" process used in the movie, "Bwana Devil."

Fox West Coast theatres have installed a new screen called Polorama. It's described as the first major development in screen projection in three decades. It's only two-dimensional, unlike three-dimensional Cinema.

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OTTAWA (CP)—A national photographic contest emphasizing the home-nursing work of the Victorian Order of Nurses was announced today by the order.

The contest, open to any amateur or professional photographer in Canada, closes March 1. All photographs submitted must illustrate one of the order's home nursing services. Prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded.

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Esther Williams in "MILLION-DOLLAR MERMAID" IN TECHNICOLOR

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U.K. Industrialist Seeks Seaway Work

British MP To Talk With Chevier on How Contractors Can Be Used on Water Project

LONDON (CP)—Sir Albert Braithwaite, Yorkshire industrialist and member of Parliament, flies to Canada Saturday to talk about the St. Lawrence seaway and his pet personal project—a Commonwealth bank.

As chairman of the export group of British Construction Industries, the 59-year-old member for Harrow-West hopes to see Transport Minister Chevier to discuss how British contractors can be brought into the seaway picture.

He also hopes to interest finance department officials in his Commonwealth plan, which under direction of an investment board would pump money into empire development.

Braithwaite answers the crucial question—where would the money come from?—by suggesting that all Commonwealth countries put a one-per-cent tax on the pithead or surface value of raw materials extracted from below ground—coal, ores, oil, chemicals and base metals.

In Britain's case, the proposed levy on minerals wouldn't be much more per capita than the price of a package of cigarettes—about \$10,000,000 a year for the whole population. Canada, as a leading mining country, would provide more, but would be the chief borrower for development.

With the bank backed by the security of the Commonwealth and the mineral levy, private

height, though slightly less bulky, and wears the same kind of bristly mustache. On Farouk's orders, he was told never to wear dark glasses—one of the deposed monarch's trademarks.

The actor said he shares the general feeling in Egypt that when Farouk was expelled from the country by Premier Nasser's coup it was no loss.

"He was not a good man," he said. "I possibly hated him more than anyone because of the trouble he caused me."

One of the reasons Farouk became unpopular was his riotous living. The actor said Farouk has written in his memoirs that it was his "double" and not himself who hung out in cabarets and gambling clubs.

"That was wrong," said Hagagy. "While Farouk was in Egypt I even avoided restaurants and went out to the movies only after dark."

MEMORIAL ARENA

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 7

V.F.S.C. (Patch) 7.00-8.30 a.m.

Cougar Practice 10.00-11.00 a.m.

Beginners 1.30-2.30 p.m.

Public Skating 3.00-5.30 p.m.

Minor Hockey 5.30-7.00 p.m.

V.F.S.C. Senior 8.00-10.00 p.m.

Automotive League 10.00-12.00 p.m.

THURSDAY, JAN. 8

Minor Hockey 7.00-8.30 a.m.

Cougar Practice 10.00-11.00 a.m.

R.M.C.S. Naden 11.30-1.30 p.m.

V.F.S.C. General 3.00-5.00 p.m.

Minor Hockey 5.00-7.00 p.m.

Public Skating 8.00-10.00 p.m.

Commercial Practice 10.00-12.00

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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

It's nice to see the snow—wasn't it?

During all the years I've carried on a one-sided love affair with the English language, I have seldom been so smitten with a set of words as with these six:

COLONIST HAS ROLE IN NEAR POISONING

The headline, which appeared you-know-where, threw me for such an emotional loop, I could not bear to read the news story beneath it, for fear of being disappointed. I could only hope and dream that the item, in its entirety, would read:

"Colonist Has Role in Near Poisoning."

"Charged as an accessory in the poisoning of a well-known city businessman is a recent immigrant from Europe, whose name police are withholding pending further evidence. "Police state the immigrant was lured here by the businessman, a travel agency owner, and that the newcomer to Canada became deranged after traveling from Halifax in a colonist coach."

"Preliminary investigation indicates the victim was forced to eat a railway orange, and died from the fumes. "The slain man is identified as Mr. Near, of the Near and Far Travel Agency."

A terrible thing has happened at the Metropolitan opera. Rudolph Bing, the general manager, has caused La Bohème to be presented in English.

Now those exposed to operas will be apt to understand what all the caterwauling is about.

This will have a very bad effect on opera, as it will quickly prove that the whole cast could just as easily be killed off in Act I, Scene 1, as three tortuous hours later.

I suggest to opera, "Opera, go back to being unintelligible, if you wish to survive."

Lament to Evangeline, the lady who said "no":

Perhaps you've a notion to travel the ocean.

And see all the ports of B.C.?

It'd be best if you knew how to run a canoe.

We've run short of ships, don't y'see?

Bruce West reports on a New Year's Eve driving incident in Toronto, which proves that virtue will emerge triumphant.

A gentleman who had been toasting 1953 decided it would be wiser if his wife drove home. She had learned to drive only recently, so approached the task with extreme caution.

Everything went along fine until she came to a red light. She stopped OK, but when the light went green, she shifted into reverse by mistake and, as she stepped on the accelerator, the car shot backward into a car which had stopped behind her.

The man and his wife sat, petrified, wondering how they would explain.

Turned out they didn't need to. The driver of the other car had not taken the precaution of having someone else drive for him; he came weaving up to the man and his wife, pulled a \$20 and a \$10 from his wallet, and said: "Shorry couldn't stop in time. Thish'll take care of damage—let's forget whole thing."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

A South Fairfield woman got a scare Monday evening when a man with a Scottish accent telephoned her: "You will die tonight."

The alarmed woman called city police but when Detectives Alex Briggs and Angus Munro attended she had given the call some thought.

"I guess it was just a hoax by a friend," she admitted sheepishly.

Miss Emily Sartain, a former resident of Victoria, has just completed a one-month showing of her Canadian floral paintings at the Sunderland Art Gallery in north England, according to word received here.

Dr. J. D. Hunter, former city alderman, resigned as the city representative on the Greater Victoria Library Board before Christmas. He has been replaced by another former alderman, Jim Neely.

R.M.S. Anorangi, outbound for the Antipodes, is expected to dock at Ogden Point between 4 and 5 p.m. Thursday. The Canadian Australasian liner is scheduled to sail from Vancouver at 10 a.m.

Gordon Barrett, 1425 Fort, proprietor of the Stan-Fort Grocery, reported to city police today that between 12 noon and 5 p.m. Tuesday some one stole a wallet containing between \$80 and \$90 from his desk in the store.

American bass singer, Bill Carle, will present a recital of sacred songs tonight at 8 at Alliance Tabernacle, Yates near Cook, to which the public is invited.

Mr. Carle has sung with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra, the Chicago Symphony, the NBC Symphony and has appeared twice at the White House. He was four years with Billy Rose's Diamond Horseshoe show in New York.

SIMPLE SUM IN MATHEMATICS SHOWS BLOOD BANK SHORTAGE

What does 139 from 750 leave?

According to Red Cross officials, it leaves the Victoria blood bank 611 pints short of minimum requirements.

Only 139 donors turned up at Red Cross House Tuesday for the first clinic of 1953, and an average of 250 is needed, for each of the three days of the clinic.

There is an especially desperate need for blood types "O" and "A-negative."

The clinic is continuing today and Thursday, from 1.30 to 4.30 p.m. and 7 to 9.30 p.m. On Friday, the clinic will visit Canadian Services College, Royal Roads.

Colin Graham, curator of Greater Victoria Arts Centre, will be guest speaker at a meeting of Victoria branch, Canadian Authors' Association, in the Arts Centre, Moss Street, Friday night at 8. Mrs. Robin Breach will give a craft talk.

Victor M. Midgley, 3300 Whittier, and William Oren Mooney, Sidney, each were fined \$35 by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court when they were found guilty on charges of careless driving. The court was told the \$900 damage was done to the Midgley car and about \$150 to the Mooney car when they collided at Sumas and Dunedin Dec. 3.

Everyone and his next-door neighbor seem to have colds, coughs and one-day 'flu infections, according to reports.

However they are not the sort of ailments reported to the city medical health officer or most private doctors for that matter, one said today.

W. W. McGill, managing director of McGill & Orme Ltd., druggists, said there is the usual upswing in purchases of cough and cold prescriptions.

"But it is normal for this time of year," he said. "January, February and March are always our busiest months."

John Thomas Targett, 43, of 325 Michigan, pleaded guilty to city police court today to a charge of stealing one and one-half tons of scrap iron from the city Garbally Road yard on Jan. 4.

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Pinfold Cottage Looted

Qualicum Raider Pleads Guilty

A 22-year-old man pleaded guilty here today to raiding the Qualicum Beach cottages of three well-known B.C. citizens and carrying off loot valued at between \$1,000 and \$1,200.

Accused was Lorne W. Benjamin. His victims were Alderman W. F. Pinfold, Victoria; Frank S. Cunliffe, QC, Nanaimo; and Gordon B. Southam, Vancouver, of the well-known publishing family.

Cpl. Wilfred Morrison of the RCMP Qualicum Beach detachment told the court accused was accompanied by two juveniles. They stole a variety of household articles on or about Dec. 21.

Benjamin was remanded to Jan. 12 for sentence. Magistrate H. C. Hall asked for a probation officer's report.

Accused and the two juveniles were arrested by city detectives William Andrews and Deans Blackstock Sunday night.

PROPERTY RECOVERED

It is understood that most of the stolen property has been located in Victoria second-hand stores. Cpl. Morrison said that owing to the co-operation of accused and his juvenile companions much of the goods had been recovered.

The juveniles involved, along with five others picked up for a variety of Victoria break-ins, appeared in juvenile court before Magistrate H. C. Hall.

The five juveniles involved in the Victoria charges, allegedly belong to an organized gang which is suspected of having operated for two and a half months in a series of break-ins and thefts.

They were arrested by Detectives Louis Callan and Norman Bath.

Alco Boat-Hotel Approved by B.C. Health Officials

The provincial authorities have given a clean bill of health to living conditions on the Delta King, an old river boat being used by the Aluminum Company of Canada at its Kitimat project.

An investigation of the boat was conducted by Reginald Bowering of the public health engineering division at the request of shop stewards of several unions working on the project.

The Delta King has been beached and is being used for housing for some of the men employed on the aluminum project.

"At the time of the investigation, there were no doubt-bunk beds found on the boat (the object of one of the complaints), nor were there any rooms with more beds in them than the regulations permit on a square-foot-per-person basis," the report noted.

The investigation also showed cabins were of good quality, many having private toilets and baths. A new air conditioning unit has been installed and is circulating heated air to all rooms.

Vancouver Grabs Queen's Coinage

Queen Elizabeth coins are not available in Victoria yet. City bankers report a run on the new silver at the B.C. branch of the Bank of Canada in Vancouver has delayed shipments here. The local bankers are not able to say definitely when they will be able to furnish customers with the coins. Several managers said they hoped to have limited stocks on hand Thursday.

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Got Quite a Shock When Mat Clung to Register

By PENNY SAVER

Do you know what one of my "friends" did this morning? Just as I was walking up with a big smile splashed across my face to greet him he nonchalantly picked a potholder off a counter and hurled it at the cash register.

What happened next I hesitate to tell you for fear you won't believe it.

But here is what actually happened. When the potholder touched the cash register it stuck there! That's right! It didn't budge an inch but just clung at a rather rakish angle.

If you think it didn't startle me you should have it happen to you sometime.

Flying saucers, yes! But flying potholders, no! Not ones that hang on "nothingness" anyway.

But as the proverbial saying goes "all's well that ends well," so it was with considerable satisfaction to myself that I discovered it was a magnetized potholder and would stick to anything made of metal.

After asking a few more questions I learnt that the potholder is washable and will not lose its magnetism when doused in the suds. It won't rust or lose its strength in the least.

Think how wonderful it would be to be able to touch the potholder to the side of the stove or somewhere else just as convenient and have it stick there.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Now's Your 'Other Chance' To Have the Figure You Want

I know you made them in left leg to the floor. Do the good faith, with that wonderful feeling which each new year brings; that realization that the past is gone, that the present is pregnant with opportunities for a better life, that stimulation of knowing that you have another chance!

What happened to your last year's new year's resolutions? I can guess—what happens to all of us unless we are determined enough to hold the fort for a short time anyway, and wrest from life some of the things which would make it more vibrant.

Life, passing so swiftly, day by day, week by week, month by month, year by year, is apt to be gone before we know what happened to us. Life gets us by the throat and somehow the years pass like an indifferent summer breeze. We barely feel it before it is gone!

Perhaps you have been planning, for years to lose those extra pounds, to give your skin and hair daily care, to improve round shoulders. You may have consciously or unconsciously realized what a difference it would make in your happiness and in your personality, to again feel slim and svelte, to lose those matronly rolls over the girdle and that protruding abdomen.

As we grow older we have to fight harder for a youthful silhouette, but this effort is worthwhile from the viewpoint of health as well as looks. You can make a great difference in eight weeks' time, and I am here at this time each year, with my eight-week self-improvement marathon, to help you. Today let me give you a simple exercise which is easy to do. This is a mild abdominal exercise, stimulates circulation and is good for the legs. Lie on the floor on your back. Arms rest on the floor at your sides. Bend the left knee up close to the abdomen. Straighten the left leg toward the ceiling. When completely straight, lower

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Relatives Camp on Her Doorstep Each Sunday

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

There are certain people who feel that others should do things for them while they do little in return. How to handle such a person is the problem of this young wife who writes:

(Q) "Every Sunday, about 4 p.m., my brother, his wife, and their children, aged 3 and 1½, come to our house and stay till long after our children are in bed. The children get very fretful and the noise is terrible. With the food and milk I give them, I could feed my family another meal. My brother makes much more than my husband ever did. My sister-in-law claims that she is in all week and likes to take a day off on Sunday. They go to my parents' home for dinner each week, too, and they can't afford to feed four extra people. I love my brother and don't want to hurt them."

(A) Hold a family conference with your parents, your brother and his wife, and yourselves. Then lay frankly and objectively before them the whole problem.

Explain what it costs to both you and your parents in time, money, and effort to have four people come to your home for a meal. Let them know you would gladly have them if you had help with the work and a sharing of the expenses.

Then, work a rotation plan for Sundays. You have the family at your home one Sunday for dinner and a light supper. You would pay for the food and would expect everyone to pitch in and help you with the work.

The following Sunday, you would go to your parents' home and the Sunday after that, to your brother's home. At each place, the host and hostess would supply the food and everyone would help with the work.

In this way, the food bills for no one would be increased. The week your entire family is with you, you will pay more but this will be equalized by lower bills on the two following weeks when you are out for Sunday dinner.

Set times for the guests to go home. It is unfair to the children to keep them up so late and it is unfair to the adults to have them cranky. You should feel privileged to reprimand them if they misbehave in your home just as your children should be reprimanded for misbehavior when they are out.

If you have a problem about family or friends, ask Dr. Hurlock to help you. Write in care of this newspaper.



Hurlock

SCHOOL DEFINITELY IS BILINGUAL

TORONTO (CP)—A bilingual convent high school, first of its kind in this area, has been opened by the Sisters of Notre Dame.

The sisters, who have run a bilingual grade school here for many years, decided to start the convent high school after watching children from their grade school go to public high schools and apparently forget all the French they had learned.

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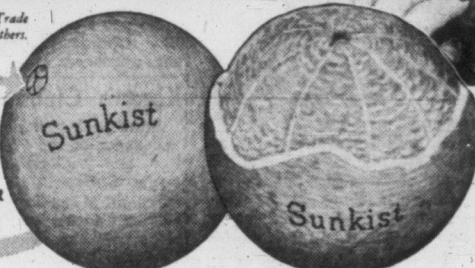
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Another 'Eligible' to Marry Soon

Princess Margaret can cross off another eligible from her list of escorts this week. The Earl of Dalkeith, for a long time the number one boy friend of the little princess, will be married on Saturday to 22-year-old Jane McNeill, a former dress model and daughter of John McNeill, a Scottish Queen's Counsel. The wedding, almost as lavish as a royal one, will be held at St. Giles Cathedral, near Edinburgh.

Margaret, Queen Elizabeth the Second, the Duke of Edinburgh, and the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester will be among the 1,600 guests. Dalkeith is the second boy friend Margaret gave up to a model—the Duke of Rutland also married one—and his departure from the ranks of eligible bachelors leaves the Princess with only a group of occasional escorts known jocularly as the "second team."

MAKE 1,000 VESTMENTS

QUEBEC (CP)—A needlework circle of 40 Quebec women who spent 3,000 hours last year making 1,000 pieces of liturgical vestments have turned their work over to Archbishop Maurice Roy of Quebec.

The circle, established 53 years ago by late Cardinal Begin, brings together volunteers from well-to-do families.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Dinner Party at Empress Hotel

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Clarence Wallace will be guests at a dinner party in the Empress Hotel on Thursday evening, given by Lady Swettenham. They will be accompanied by Miss Ruth MacLean and Wing Cmdr. J. D. D. Campbell. Other guests will be Lady Drayton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hilton, Mr. Duff Robertson and Mr. J. N. Taylor.

Exchange Teachers in California

Mrs. F. Scott, an exchange teacher in Victoria this year from California, returned to her home in Stockton for the holidays. With her for the festive season were four other exchange teachers from Vancouver Island and one exchange teacher in Vancouver. The teachers traveled by bus and train and were guests of Mrs. Scott at her home in Stockton. Their hosts took them on motor trips throughout southern California and before they returned to their positions in British Columbia several of the visitors made side trips to San Francisco and the Yosemite Valley. The group included Mrs. Elizabeth Cockram and Miss Doreen Pearl and Miss E. Badger from England; Miss Frances Byrne, Santa Monica, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Cameron from South Carolina.

Staff Party at Monterey

Members of the staff enjoyed their annual party, Sunday evening, at The Monterey. Dinner was served in the Mirror Room, with the proprietor, Mr. N. Mangos, acting as chairman. Two staff members, Hazel Smith and Hope Graham, dressed in Hawaiian costumes, acted as servitors. Later, the party descended to the Century Room, where dancing was enjoyed to the music of Margaret Smith's orchestra. A floor show included dances by Darlene Dovey, magical acts by Carl Hemeon, assisted by Mrs. Hemeon, and accordion solos by Gene Nickford.

The 'O's' Ship's Company Dance

More than 375 couples attended the ship's company dance at Crystal Garden on Monday evening, held to mark the return to home port of HMCS Ontario. Dancing was in the south ballroom and the Flamingo Room, and a buffet supper was served in the lower ballroom. Bert Zala and his seven-piece orchestra was in attendance and C. C. Hallam, assistant manager at the Crystal Garden, was master of ceremonies.

Among special guests were Commodore Kenneth Adams, HMCS Naden, and Mrs. Adams, and Capt. M. H. Stirling, executive officer of the ship during the cruise, and Mrs. Stirling. In charge of arrangements were Lieut. I. C. Inglis, CPO Arthur Cuthbert, PO Frank Andrews, PO J. B. Ford, CPO William North, CPO Vince Barton and CPO Edward Carter.

To Be Married This Month

The wedding of Marion L. Pugh, younger daughter of Mr. George E. Pugh, Kings Road, and late Mr. Pugh, and Mrs. W. Esplan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Esplan, Vancouver, is to take place on Jan. 24, at 11 a.m., in St. Alban's Anglican Church. For her attendants Miss Pugh has chosen her sister, Mrs. C. A. Roberts, her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. W. Pugh, and Miss Sylvia J. Inkpen.

Going to Honolulu

Mrs. A. S. Denny and Miss Gertrude Grant, of this city, will travel to Vancouver Sunday to join their sister, Miss Ella Grant. From the mainland city, the three will fly to Honolulu for a month's holiday.

Victorians who were guests at Forbidden Plateau Lodge during the holiday season included Mr. and Mrs. John Dick with Gerald and Jim Lister, Messrs. D. H. Baxter, Ted Horsey, David Anderson and Malcolm Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holdridge and their two daughters.

Mrs. Howard Creal, who left for Regina in early November, to be presented at the dedication of a memorial to her late husband, Rev. Dr. H. H. Creal, has returned to Victoria. Mrs. Creal spent the holiday season with her son and daughter-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Murray Creal, Winnipeg.

French Actor 'Just a Friend'

One thing Hollywood is noticing about Barbara Stanwyck these days... All you have to do is mention the name of the French actor, John Pierre Aumont, and the actress gets a dreamy look in her eyes.

Miss Stanwyck, recently divorced from actor Robert Taylor, is just back from France where she made a picture. She and Aumont saw the Paris sights together.

But Miss Stanwyck has little to say about whether there's a new romance in her life. Her only comment... "He and I are just good friends."

Ex-Servicemen's Branch, No. 182, BESL, Thursday at 8, Britannia Branch Hall.

Navy League Chapter, IODE, Friday at 2, headquarters. Nomination of officers.

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Married in Church at Sidney

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Women in Public Life the Discussion at WI Meeting

Under chairmanship of the new president, Mrs. Roscoe Myles, members at first meeting of the year discussed the question, "Have women a special contribution to bring to public affairs?"

Projected into the session by a reference in the provincial superintendent's bulletin to a recent farm forum questionnaire, the topic provoked one member to the jocular comment that, at the local level at least, institutes frequently made a much greater contribution to "public affairs" than many a politician. The matter will be the subject of full-length debate at a later meeting.

Committees for the ensuing year were named as follows: Home economics, Mesdames C. Carpenter, G. Sekreva and R. S. Vickers; social welfare and sick visiting, Mrs. A. S. Moffat, Dr. Marian Sherman and Mrs. R. L. Myles; Solarium and child welfare, Mrs. Moffat and Dr. Sherman; handicraft, Mesdames Eric Hagen, M. Cowan and X. Rey; hall rentals, Mrs. E. Glover; card games, Mrs. T. W. McGregor; tea convener, Mrs. M. Cowan; citizenship, Mrs. G. Howland.

Greetings from a number of B.C. institutes were read by secretary Mrs. M. Cowan. Dr. Sherman added several health education bulletins to the current study material.

Fortcoming meetings include a quilting party for Monday, convened by Mrs. Carpenter, and the social meeting, in the form of a home-craft program, on January 19, convened by Mrs. Howland.

A new member, Mrs. A. W. Lash, recently from Fonthill.

Party—Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, held a party during the festive season in Business and Professional Women's Clubrooms. Mrs. Ken Rix and her committee arranged the evening of games when gifts were distributed and refreshments served. At their recent meeting, Miss Dorothy Waller spoke on "Magic Garden of Herbs"; Mrs. Max Fargy, "Herbs, Their Culture and Uses," and Mrs. Owen Nicholls, "The Folklore of Herbs."

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LONDON (Reuters) — Viscountesses and baronesses who find themselves short on cash will be able to wear "austerity robes" made of crimson velvet instead of silk and velvet at the coronation.

They may have such robes made at "the little dressmaker around the corner" for £30 to £40 instead of three times the amount for the traditional costume.

The austerity model, designed by royal dressmaker Norman Hartnell, was shown in London Monday.

Coronets, too, may be dispensed with this year by those who don't own them.

Instead of the heavy silver-gilt circlet with silver balls showing rank, worn with a cap of ermine and crimson velvet, both peers and peeresses next June may wear a newly-designed cap of state. The peeress' version costs £3 to £4.

The cap can be made by any local milliner. The model, chosen by the Queen herself, is a simple skull cap in crimson velvet divided into five sections by thick gold cords and resting on a narrow ring of ermine or rabbit spotted with black tails.

The upstanding gold tassel of the traditional headgear has been transformed into a looped ornament made of gold braid from which fall five pearl drops modeled on the Elizabethan earrings in the Queen's crown.

Small enough to wear with a tiara, the new cap weighs only two ounces—compared with the pound or more for a coronet.

The new austerity robe follows closely the style of the kirtle of the traditional robe. Close-fitting to the waist and open in the front, it widens gradually down to the ground, ending in a rounded 18-inch train.

The traditional white ermine robe is edged with a two-inch border of white rabbit. Introduction of the new robe marks the first major change in coronation dress since the coronation of Queen Anne 250 years ago.

Rows of black tails on the cape mark the rank of baroness must wear a white or cream or viscountess and the whole evening dress which may be in brocade, satin or other suitable material. It may be embroidered with sequins, diamante or pearls, or gold or silver, but no color is allowed.

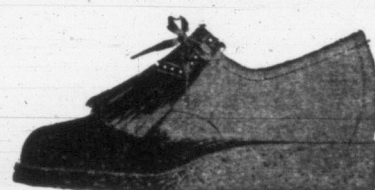
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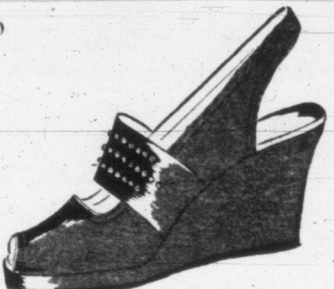
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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

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SYNOPSIS: Snow fell in all parts of southern B.C. overnight. On the southern coast the snow was gradually changing to rain this morning as warm air advances slightly northward from Washington. However, the lower mainland is not expected to come well within the mild Pacific air in the next two days. Conditions were favorable for freezing rain today in the lower Fraser valley.

9 A.M. FORECASTS

VICTORIA: Cloudy with intermittent rain Thursday. A little warmer. Wind light. Low tonight and high Thursday, 37 and 43.

WEST COAST: Intermittent rain Thursday. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 20. Low tonight and high Thursday a "teen, 40 and 45.

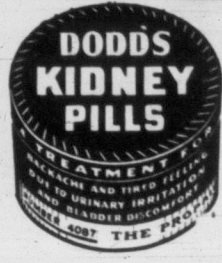
GEORGIA STRAIT: Intermittent snow in the northern part and rain in the southern part Thursday. Continuing cold. Winds southeast 15. Low tonight and high Thursday at Nanaimo, 32 and 40.

VANCOUVER: Cloudy with intermittent rain and snow mixed Thursday. Continuing cold. Winds easterly 15. Low tonight and high Thursday at Vancouver airport, 30 and 40.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	31	34	.37
Halifax	25	33	.37
Montreal	5	17	.86
Toronto	8	24	.01
Winnipeg	10	2	.01
Regina	18	7	.03
Saskatoon	16	4	.29
Edmonton	12	9	1.20
Calgary	8	12	.01
Winnipeg	8	27	.01
Penticton	13	31	.05
Vancouver	27	36	.20
VICTORIA	30	40	.30
Kimberley	6	16	.42
Prince Rupert	12	32	.01
Prince George	13	5	.01
Fort St. John	19	1	.01
Seattle	34	44	.45
Portland	42	47	.20
Chicago	9	18	.10
San Francisco	52	58	.22
Los Angeles	52	60	.01
New York	29	35	.17
Whitehorse	24	11	.02
Yellowknife	2	17	.02
New Westminster	25	45	.04

SENSE AND SUNSET (THURSDAY)
Sunrise 8:05 Sunset 16:34



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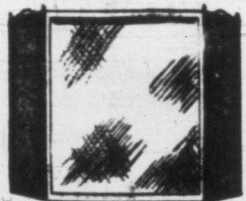
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PANTIE RAIDER IN REVERSE

NEW LONDON, Conn. (AP)—Police say that Mrs. Beulah Higgins is the victim of a reverse pantie raider.

Three times recently she has found the clothes line in her rear yard filled with lingerie—none of it hers.

Latest instance was Monday night when she returned from work to find a dozen pairs of panties, several bras and a girdle, all new or slightly used, on the line.

Another Try At Revolt in Bolivia Fails

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP)—Loyal troops have foiled an attempted revolt which President Victor Paz Estenssoro blames on traitors within his own ruling party.

The abortive uprising, in which a cabinet minister and the chief of the army's general staff were taken prisoner, was bloodless, although the president's life was in danger for a time when the palace guard was disarmed while he slept.

At least eight veteran army officers and eight civilians were arrested and calm was restored within a matter of hours in this tin-rich, money-poor country.

This was the third attempt to overthrow Paz Estenssoro since he came to power after a bloody revolution last April in which Bolivia's regulars were defeated by "the People's Army" of his National Revolutionary Movement, MNR. The revolutionary troops are now the backbone of the armed forces.

Military and right-wing groups have accused the government of permitting the infiltration of Communists, and the attempted coup apparently was the climax of a split in the ranks of the MNR party.

\$20 Million Drought Aid to Yugoslavia

PARIS (BUP)—The United States will give Yugoslavia \$20 million in special drought relief aid.

Reliable American sources in Paris say the official announcement of the new American aid will be made before the end of this week.

The money will be in addition to \$89 million promised by the United States, Britain and France to Marshal Tito's government for 1952-53.

Meeting to Consider Quebec-Wide Strike

QUEBEC (CP)—The Canadian Catholic Confederation of Labor will decide tonight whether to call a general, province-wide work stoppage in sympathy with Louisville textile strikers.

A decision to stage the stoppage would be followed by a meeting of a special committee to work out details and fix a date.

The matter will come up at a mass rally of representatives of the 90,000-member organization, called to consider the situation at Louisville where employees of Associated Textiles went on strike 10 months ago.

Premier Duplessis will probably hold a regular meeting of the provincial cabinet Tuesday and CCCL officials say any decision taken in connection with the textile strike may influence the meeting.

THREAT MADE Threat of a general work stoppage was made during negotiations conducted by Labor Minister Barrette. The CCCL said at the time a stoppage would be called if the talks failed if provincial police at Louisville were not recalled.

When the talks failed Dec. 23, plans for the general stoppage were not carried out in view of the holiday season.

The talks were sponsored by Premier Duplessis and Bishop Georges Pelletier of Three Rivers.

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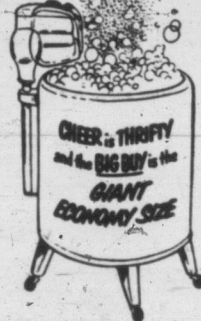
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Court Orders
Rabies Shots
For Little Girl
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—A juvenile court has ordered a series of anti-rabies shots for a child whose parents insisted "the touch of God" had healed a bite from a mad dog.
Judge Elizabeth McCain made five-year-old Linda Corole Smith a ward of the court after a brief conference Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Smith, the child's parents.
Linda was immediately committed to a hospital.
Linda was bitten on the cheek by her pet dog, Lucky, New Year's Day. The dog died Monday and laboratory tests established it was mad.
Smith maintained that according to his religious belief medical treatment was unnecessary, but he agreed that the law had the right to force treatment.
The Smiths are members of the Church of Jesus Christ.

RACE RESULTS
FAIR GROUNDS
First Race—
Bessie G (Zehr) \$6.00 \$3.00 \$2.00
Halapood (Parasol) \$4.00 \$2.00 \$1.00
Chain Togs (Groha) \$3.00 \$1.00 \$0.50
Time 1:13.5
Second Race—
Sumnerland (Milligan) \$17.20 \$8.40 \$5.40
Muirbar (Kearney) \$7.00 \$3.50 \$2.00
Jennings Boy (Billeaud) \$7.40 \$4.20 \$2.00
Time 1:14
Third Race—
Tuch Of Or (Geath)—
REAR
Es Polly (Coffman) \$4.80 \$3.40 \$2.00
Osgood (Hardenbrook) \$3.00 \$1.50 \$0.80
Time 1:13.4
Fourth Race—
Madame Defiance (Keece) \$8.00 \$5.00 \$3.00
Carroll Hart (Popara) \$8.00 \$4.00 \$2.00
Dunbar (Kearney) \$7.00 \$3.50 \$2.00
Time 1:48.2-5
Fifth Race—
Hindback (Bailey) \$5.20 \$3.00 \$2.00
Prince Marque (Kearney) \$4.40 \$2.00 \$1.00
Blenrian (Groha) \$3.00 \$1.50 \$0.80
Time 1:13.5
Sixth Race—
Dynamite (Cook) \$13.00 \$7.00 \$4.40
Family Pride (Hett) \$5.00 \$2.50 \$1.50
Foxy Adeline (Kearney) \$4.00 \$2.00 \$1.00
Time 1:13.4
Seventh Race—
Happy Go Lucky (Kearney) \$3.00 \$2.40 \$2.20
Crownlet (Hettler) \$3.00 \$1.50 \$0.80
Captain Bud (Cook) \$4.20 \$2.00 \$1.00
Head heat for place.
Time 1:45.4-5
Eighth Race—
Brown Bantam (Chia-petta) \$24.00 \$10.00 \$5.00
Vintoline (Cox) \$7.00 \$3.50 \$2.00
Whitworth (Popara) \$7.00 \$3.50 \$2.00
Time 1:44.1-4
Ninth Race—
Ugly Chlie (Wickel) \$11.20 \$5.20 \$3.20
Good Story (Kearney) \$4.00 \$2.00 \$1.00
Dominion (Owen) \$3.00 \$1.50 \$0.80
Time 1:44.1-4

Dr. Endicott
Has Plans for 'Peace House'
TORONTO (AP)—Dr. James Endicott said today he planned to use part of his \$25,000 Stalin peace prize to build a "peace house" here, presumably a headquarters for the left-wing Canadian Peace Congress.
Endicott, chairman of the congress and a former United Church minister, returned two days ago from the "peoples for peace" rally in Vienna and said there would be "no difficulty" collecting his prize money.
"The project which appeals to me and my wife most is a peace house," he said. "It would help guarantee for the children of the future, our grandchildren and their playmates, a centre which will be dedicated to the struggle for the prevention of war and the building of enduring peace."
Endicott criticized the press for calling the Canadian Peace Congress "pro-Communist" or "Communist-dominated" although he said he himself did not subscribe "to anti-Communist feelings."

Eisenhower Declared Winner
WASHINGTON (AP)—Congress Tuesday ran quietly through the routine of prodding Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's election as president of the United States, and then the Senate tied into a fight over the burning filibuster issue.
The Republican leaders, Senators Robert Taft of Ohio and William Jenner of Indiana, promised to try later on this year to push through a rule making it easier to halt filibusters. A proposal which itself would be subject to a filibuster. But a small, outnumbered coalition of Democrats and a handful of Republicans put on a strenuous though apparently losing battle to change the rules now.

Meanwhile the House armed services committee held the first hearing of the new Congress and heard air force officials and generals testify that the recent series of USAF crashes apparently are due largely to human and mechanical failures and weather. There was "no tangible indication that sabotage was a factor."

U.S.N., R.N. Ships Team to Shell Reds
SEOUL, Korea (UP)—The British cruiser Birmingham and the British cruiser Birmingham shelled Communist North Korean west coast defenses today as scattered clouds curtailed Allied fighter-bomber raids.

Planes from the British carrier Glory broke through the clouds and blasted coastal gun emplacements and fortifications which the Reds recently had constructed opposite the islands of Chodo and Sokpo.

The shower of 16-inch shells announced the "Big Mo" had returned to the Yellow Sea for the third time since 1950.

Errol Flynn to Stay in Hospital 10 Days
NAPLES (AP)—Film star Errol Flynn, ill with jaundice, will be confined to hospital for at least 10 days more, doctors said today.
Flynn interrupted work on a film he was making here when he contracted the illness about a week ago.

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Operatic Society Plans Rehearsals
Initial meeting of the Victoria Gilbert and Sullivan Operatic Society to plan rehearsals for its next production, "The Merry Widow," will be held at 8 tonight at Victoria West School. Stage director Lieut. Col. Victor Mills will review the story of the Franz Lehár work, and musical director Melvin Knudsen will discuss the score. Casting for principal roles will be undertaken next week.
Any singers interested in taking part may attend. The show will be staged late in April.

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Last Year Eventful
In National Defense

By ROY THORSEN
Canada, in 1952, marched in step with sister and brother nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in building up its army to meet any move by an aggressor.

And through the year Canada continued to do its part helping other NATO nations to strengthen their ground defense programs. In 1951-52 Canada shipped enough arms and equipment overseas to outfit three Infantry divisions... and will continue this program in '53. New year plans call for further expansion of the Canadian army. The defense department is preparing to build the largest peacetime camp in the history of Canada—to cost \$25,000,000, to be located in New Brunswick and to accommodate the manoeuvres of a full division when completed.

IN THREE CONTINENTS

During the past 12 months Canada stood guard on three continents—maintaining its own defense force and special brigades in Korea and Germany—plus a reinforcement pool equal to the special brigades.

The biggest explosion of the year did not happen with Canadian troops in action—it was here on the home front and provoked Parliament's stormiest debates of the year, which will be resumed. The uproar sprang from the Currie report on "general breakdown" in the Army Works Service.

The great October "Little Gibraltar" fight by the Royal Canadian Regiment to beat off the North Koreans in a rugged see-saw fight highlighted Canadian action in Korea. The 27th Infantry Brigade in Europe, under a rigid schedule, became fully trained.

MORE EDUCATION

Educational facilities for the services' future officers were

expanded with the opening of the College Militaire Royal de Saint-Jean, St. John's, Quebec; introduction of a regular officer training plan also opened increased avenues of educational advancement for potential officers.

Plans were completed to allow boys of 16 to be recruited for special trades to meet the increasing need for tradesmen and specialists.

The army continued to expand its CWAC reserve force organization, members now training at manning depots across the nation in clerical and other skilled trades.

During the year, 132 soldiers distinguished themselves in Korean action. They received including four DSOs, 19 OBEs, two DCMs (including Victoria's Staff-Sgt. Richard Buxton), three MCs, seven MMs, four BEMs, and 93 mention-in-dispatches.

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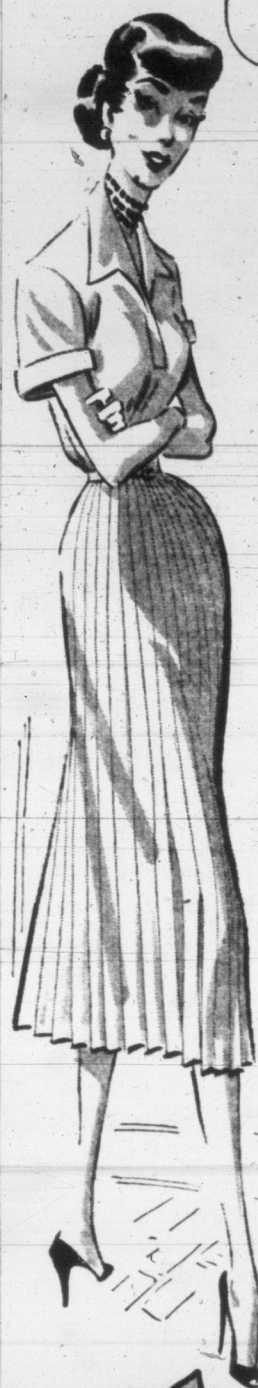
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size 16.
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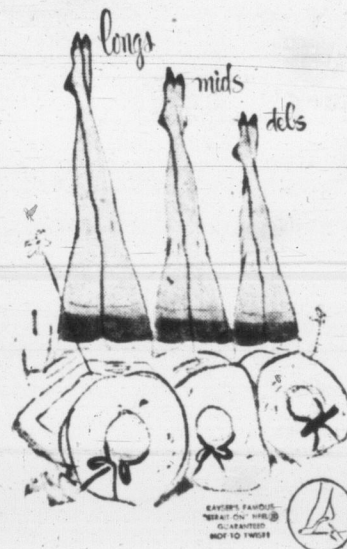
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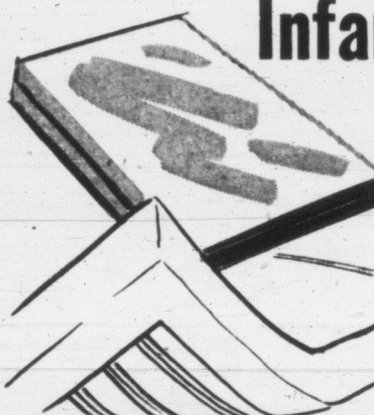


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FINAL BULLETINS

No Quick Boundary Action—Manning

EDMONTON (CP)—Premier Manning indicated today that the provincial government has no intention of seeking immediate action on a proposal whereby Alberta and British Columbia would annex a large portion of the Yukon and the Northwest Territories. Meeting here last month, Mr. Manning and Premier Bennett of B.C. announced they favored extension of their provinces' northern boundaries about 350 miles northward to the 65th parallel.

U.S. Press Rapped by Briton

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—A British professor has criticized the United States press for printing Russian Premier Stalin's pronouncements as news "and thereby playing directly into the hands of Soviet propagandists." Dr. George Catlin told the University of California's History Honor Society Tuesday night: "Through the agency of the New York Times, Stalin was able to appear before the American people as a 20th Century prince of peace."

Famed Author, Explorer Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Osa Johnson, 58, author and explorer, was found dead today in her hotel suite here. Anthony Casiero, manager of the Hotel Woodward, said she was found dead in her suite by her lawyer. He said that a maid had spoken to Mrs. Johnson, widow of big game hunter and explorer Martin Johnson, about 9 a.m. She was found dead two hours later.

B.C. Hospitals Face Strike Over 'Freeze'

VANCOUVER (CP)—William Black, business agent for the Hospital Employees' Union (TLC), says the organization is prepared to fight in the courts to take "strike action if necessary" to gain wage increases won in agreements with hospitals. Mr. Black told the Vancouver and District Trades and Labor Council last night that some hospitals had agreed to wage increases but were holding back because of the provincial government's order freezing hospital budgets.

He criticized the government's "hold the line" order on hospitals and said benefits won in the arbitrary tribunals might be lost if hospitals cut costs. The TLC delegates pledged support to the hospital union. A meeting will be sought with the cabinet, to discuss the issue.

Premier W. A. C. Bennett today termed "completely erroneous" statements that British Columbia's hospital insurance plan is piling up a big deficit under the new government's administration. "The plan is in better shape than it has ever been," he said. He was referring to statements Tuesday by Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, M.L.A. and Arthur Ash, a candidate for the Saanich seat in the coming provincial election.

Churchill's View on Korea Rocks GOP

WASHINGTON (AP)—Winston Churchill's remarks about the Korean war seemed likely today to block a move to invite him to address Congress. Senator Styles Bridges (Rep.-N.H.), acting president of the Senate, told reporters he will discuss with other Republican leaders a proposal made Tuesday by Senator George Smathers (Dem.-Fla.) that the British prime minister be asked to talk to a joint Senate-House of Representatives session on his forthcoming visit to Washington. But Bridges added: "Americans are always glad to see and pay tribute to a great leader of another nation, but many Americans—including myself—are disturbed by the prime minister's statements about the Korean war."

BOOMB WOULD FINISH RUSSIA TRUMAN SAYS

Vets on Lost Plane

SEATTLE (AP)—A chartered transport plane carrying 37 soldiers on the last leg of their homeward trip from the Far East vanished today over mountainous country of southeast Idaho or Wyoming.

The C-46 carried a crew of four. Most, if not all, of the 37 passengers were veterans of the Korean campaign, returning on hard-earned rotation.

The plane's destination was Fort Jackson, S.C., where the soldiers were to be released for return to their homes in that region.

The plane failed to arrive at Cheyenne, Wyo., for a refueling stop at 5:15 a.m. Its gasoline would have been exhausted at dawn. It left Seattle shortly before midnight.

The big twin-engine transport's last radio report was from over Malad City, Idaho. There was no indication of any trouble. Malad City, in extreme southeast Idaho, is about 350 miles from Cheyenne.

The feared disaster follows close the world's worst air tragedy when 86 U.S. troops and fliers were killed in a crash Dec. 20 at Moses Lake, Wash.



Urgent Spring Treads on Winter's Snowy Heels

Strangers in Victoria might marvel but most passers-by spared only a glance at blossoming Japanese plum along Manor Road and Royal Terrace, near

Government House, today. Blossoms nestled in snow-laden branches. (Times photo by Halkett.)

Warns Stalin Millions Would Die, Cities Vanish

By DAYTON MOORE

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Truman solemnly warned Russian Premier Josef Stalin today that the United States has developed a hydrogen superbomb that would mean "ruin for your regime and your homeland" in case of a third world war.

In his farewell State of the Union message to Congress, Mr. Truman said the recent H-bomb tests at Eniwetok ushered in a "new era of destructive power," and man is now "capable of creating explosions of a new order of magnitude, dwarfing the mushroom clouds of Hiroshima and Nagasaki."

"There is something I would say to Stalin," Mr. Truman said. "You claim belief in Lenin's prophecy that one stage in the development of Communist society would be war between your world and ours."

"But . . . war has changed its shape and its dimension. It cannot now be a stage in the development of anything save ruin for your regime and your homeland."

More Awful Weapons Coming

He predicted even more terrible atomic weapons than H-bombs—with "unforeseeable peaks of destructive power."

In any future world war, Mr. Truman said, millions of people could be killed and great cities demolished with one bomb. The "very structure" of this civilization would be destroyed.

Mr. Truman sent his farewell message to be read by clerks in a Republican House and Senate, instead of delivering it in person before a joint session as he has done in past years.

His grave report on the H-bomb, and its awesome implications for the world, came near the end of his unusually long address in which he reviewed the "very great" achievements of his administration.

While he never referred in so many words to a hydrogen bomb, he made his meaning clear when he said that the recent "thermonuclear tests at Eniwetok" marked the beginning of "another stage in the world-shaking development of atomic energy."

He renewed his plea for effective international control of atomic energy, and said both Russia and America must remember that neither side can win more than a "temporary" advantage in the atomic arms race.

"War today between the Soviet Empire and the free nations might dig the grave not only of our Stalinist opponents, but of our own society, our world as well as theirs," he said.

Kremlin Illusions Firmly Fixed

"We cannot measure how deep-rooted are the Kremlin's illusions about us," Mr. Truman said. "We can be sure, however, that the rulers of the Communist world will not change their basic objectives lightly or soon . . ."

"This means there is ahead of us a long hard test of strength and stamina, between the free world and the Communist domain . . ."

Mr. Truman said Eisenhower on Jan. 20 will take up the "greatest burdens, the most compelling responsibilities" ever to fall upon a man.

"And I," he said, "with you and all Americans, wish for him all possible success in undertaking the tasks that so soon will be his."

Mr. Truman said his administration's basic foreign policy had the twin goals of military security and human progress in the free world.

This policy, he said, "at the very least" has averted an all-out, atomic war.

"And at the most," he said, "we may already have succeeded in establishing conditions which can keep that kind of war from happening, for as far ahead as man can see."

Mr. Truman said the "supreme test" was the Red invasion of South Korea. He said the free world has shown there that it has "the will and the endurance to match the Communist effort to overthrow international order through local aggression."

Cost of Living Shows Decline in November

OTTAWA (CP)—The new a point monthly either up or consumer price index, reflecting down, it has dropped altogether changes in living costs, declined by three-tenths of a point during November to 115.8 from 116.1, the bureau of statistics reported today.

The index, based on 1949 prices equalling 100, continued a five-month decline with a drop of three-fifths of a point during November to 184.2 from 184.8. The peak was 191.5 in December, 1951.

Moving a mere one-tenth of a point, the index was 184.2 in November, 1951.

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8—Sir Greek, Oration, Lady Jacopo.
9—Bet—Sir Greek.

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1—Richman, Shining Deed, Jolish.
2—Port Miffin, Leane Round, Lucky Micky.
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4—Friend Frankie.
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SANTA ANITA

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2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

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SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

EIGHTH RACE—Five furlongs

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

NINTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

TENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
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Time, 1:25 3-5.

ELEVENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

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Time, 1:25 3-5.

TWELFTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

THIRTEENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

FOURTEENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

FIFTEENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

SIXTEENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth

1—Dr. Drag (Leone) 19.30 9.10
2—Jury (Zufelt) 1.30
Time, 1:25 3-5.

Motorists Slip and Slide As First Snowfall Lies Briefly

Vancouver Island's first snowfall of the 1952-53 winter began melting rapidly today under warm rain.

Only 1.1 inches of snow fell in Victoria but there were four inches in portions of the Saanich peninsula, seven in Duncan, six at Comox, and four to six on the Malahat.

Public works crews worked all night keeping the Malahat open, and sanded all hills.

Machine operators had to rescue eight motorists whose cars had slid on the slippery road surface and wound up in the ditch. All were pulled back to the highway and sent off safely.

"People could avoid trouble by using tires suitable to the roads on which they drive," one public works official said today. "Tractionizing" costs a lot less

than one dented fender." In the city motorists generally "played safe" by careful driving.

However, at least five drivers got into difficulties on snow-covered Saanich and city streets Monday night. Two persons received minor hurts.

John Catterall, 4220 Quadra, passenger in a car driven by Craig A. Massie, 3981 Saanich Road, was injured when the car skidded and turned over on East Saanich Road at Halliburton.

Allan Duffus, 1702 Belmont, was treated at St. Joseph's for a head cut when the car he was driving was in collision with a second car driven by Daniel P. Griffin, 2727 Foul Bay, at Catherine and Langford.

About \$500 damage was done to cars driven by Guy M. Shaw, Saanich, and Edgar O. Jones, 1303-Yates, when they collided near Prospect Lake, police said.

Cars driven by Muriel L. McKay, East Road, Sidney, and Arthur Lionel, Brentwood, were damaged when they collided on East Saanich Road north of Elk Lake.

RCMP reported "some ditchings" that caused traffic tie-ups, but no serious accidents.

Weatherman William Mackie said warm air from the Pacific has forced back cold air from the continent, but that there is the likelihood of colder temperatures returning late Thursday night.

Until then skies will be cloudy with intermittent rain, and temperatures will range between 37 and 45 degrees.

Low temperatures recorded overnight was 30.3 degrees, high today 44 degrees.

Elsewhere in Canada the picture was much more gloomy.

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MILLIONS WOULD DIE, GREAT CITIES BE DEMOLISHED

Truman Warns Stalin H-Bomb War Would Destroy Him

By DAYTON MOORE

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Truman solemnly warned Russian Premier Josef Stalin today that the United States has developed a hydrogen superbomb that would mean "ruin for your regime and your homeland" in case of a third world war.

In his farewell State of the Union message to Congress, Mr. Truman said the recent H-bomb tests at Eniwetok ushered in a "new era of destructive power," and man is now "capable of creating explosions of a new order of magnitude, dwarfing the mushroom clouds of Hiroshima and Nagasaki."

"There is something I would say to Stalin," Mr. Truman said. "You claim belief in Lenin's prophecy that one stage in the development of Communist society would be war between your world and ours."

"But war has changed its shape and its dimension. It cannot now be a stage in the development of anything save ruin for your regime and your homeland."

He predicted even more terrible atomic weapons than H-bombs—with "unforeseeable peaks of destructive power."

In any future world war, Mr. Truman said, millions of people could be killed and great cities demolished with one bomb. The "very structure" of this civilization would be destroyed.

Mr. Truman sent his farewell message to be read by clerks in a Republican House and Senate, instead of delivering it in person before a joint session as he has done in past years.

His grave report on the H-bomb, and its awesome implications for the world, came near the end of his unusually long address in which he reviewed the "very great" achievements of his administration.

While he never referred in so many words to a hydrogen bomb, he made his meaning clear when he said that the recent "thermonuclear tests at Eniwetok" marked the beginning of "another stage in the world-shaking development of atomic energy."

He renewed his plea for effective international control of atomic energy, and said both Russia and

America must remember that neither side can win more than a "temporary" advantage in the atomic arms race.

"War today between the Soviet Empire and the free nations might dig the grave not only of our Stalinist opponents, but of our own society, our world as well as theirs," he said.

But he was frankly pessimistic over the prospects of Stalin and the Kremlin recognizing in the near future that neither Russia nor any other nation could win an all out war in the new H-bomb era.

"We cannot measure how deep-rooted are the Kremlin's illusions about us," Mr. Truman said. "We can be sure, however, that the rulers of the Communist world will not change their basic objectives lightly or soon."

"This means there is ahead of us a long hard test of strength and stamina, between the free world and the Communist domain."

Mr. Truman said Eisenhower on Jan. 20 will take up the "greatest burdens, the most compelling responsibilities" ever to fall upon a man.

"And I," he said, "with you and all Americans, wish for him all possible success in undertaking the tasks that so soon will be his."

Mr. Truman said his administration's basic foreign policy had the twin goals of military security and human progress in the free world.

This policy, he said, "at the very least" has averted an all out, atomic war.

"And at the most," he said, "we may already have succeeded in establishing conditions which can keep that kind of war from happening, for as far ahead as man can see."

Mr. Truman said the "supreme test" was the Red invasion of South Korea. He said the free world has shown there that it has "the will and the endurance to match the Communist effort to overthrow international order through local aggression."

Looking back on his nearly eight years in the White House, the retiring chief executive said much has been done in which he takes pride. But he said it is "not personal pride," but pride in the people, the nation and its democratic government.

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Churchill's Korean Views Disturb U.S. Republicans

Invitation to Address Congress May Be Blocked

WASHINGTON (AP)—Winston Churchill's remarks about the Korean war seemed likely today to block a move to invite him to address Congress.

Senator Styles Bridges (Rep.-N.H.), acting president of the Senate, told reporters he will discuss with other Republican leaders a proposal made Tuesday by Senator George Smathers (Dem.-Fla.) that the British prime minister be asked to talk to a joint Senate-House of Representatives session on his forthcoming visit to Washington. But Bridges added:

"Americans are always glad to see and pay tribute to a great leader of another nation, but many Americans—including myself—are disturbed by the prime minister's statements about the Korean war."

Churchill told a press conference on his arrival in New York for conversations with President-elect Eisenhower that there could be worse things than a stalemate in Korea and that Britain was against any "indefinite extension" of the conflict there.

OUT OF TURN?

Senator Arthur Watkins (Rep.-Utah) voiced the evident opinion of a number of his colleagues when he observed to a reporter that Churchill seemed to be "speaking out of turn."

"It is easy for Mr. Churchill to say that a stalemate in Korea is not so bad, so long as we Americans are the ones who are providing the troops to maintain that stalemate," Watkins said.

"Maybe he would be willing for the war in Korea to go on for years but I don't believe the majority of Americans want any such thing to happen."

Senator Eugene Millikin of Colorado, chairman of the conference of all Republican senators, told a reporter he sees little value at this time in having Churchill address a joint session.

A year ago, when he visited here, he addressed an informal session of Congress, as he had previously in the war and post-war years.

Two Leaders To Meet Third Time

NEW YORK (AP)—President-elect Eisenhower today arranged to confer with the new administration's ambassador designate to the United Nations and to meet again with Prime Minister Churchill.

The scheduled session with Henry Cabot Lodge, who will be chief of the United States delegation to the UN, gave Eisenhower an opportunity to discuss with the former Massachusetts senator the Korean war policy the general has been working on since he returned from the battle zone last month. That policy, aimed at breaking the stalemate in Korea, will be outlined to other UN countries with troops in Korea when it is in final form.

Like the other two meetings of Eisenhower and Churchill, the third meeting will be held at the Manhattan home of financier Bernard M. Baruch, Churchill's host during his stay in New York.

Two key Eisenhower appointees, John Foster Dulles and Winthrop W. Aldrich, called on Churchill at Baruch's home Tuesday night. Dulles will be secretary of state in the new administration and Aldrich will be ambassador to Britain.

Mediators End Dock Strike in New York

NEW YORK (AP)—Federal mediators, after an all-night session, announced an agreement early today to end the six-day strike of AFL dock specialists which for a couple of days threatened to tie up shipping in major United States east coast ports.

Siamese Girls To Be Parted Like Brodies

German Father Gives Permission to Doctor

DUSSELDORF, Germany (AP)—The father of 18-month-old Siamese twins joined at the tops of their heads has given permission for an operation to separate them similar to that performed recently on the Brodie twins of Chicago.

The father, George Knaath, said Dr. Peter Roettgen of the Bonn University clinic was preparing to perform the operation on the twins, Rosemarie and Lotte.

Knaath said the surgeon had asked the University of Illinois medical school for films and data on the operation which separated Rodney Dee and Roger Lee Brodie.

In Bonn, Dr. Roettgen said he would perform the operation but added that "the exact time was uncertain."

The surgeon, who is head of the clinic's nerve department, said he was anxious to learn more of the technique and methods used in the separation of the Brodie twins.

CHICAGO (AP)—Rodney Dee Brodie, the stronger of the separated Siamese twins, appeared today to have survived another major plastic operation "fairly well," but his condition continued critical.

Little hope, however, was held by doctors for survival of his twin brother, Roger, who has been in a coma since the 15-month-old boys were separated in an operation Dec. 17.

Rodney was in the operating room for two hours Tuesday as plastic surgeons took a 3½x12-inch strip of skin from his back and transferred it to the open wound on his forehead to start healing.



Forms Cabinet

With the backing of one of the largest majorities accorded a French government chief since the end of the Second World War, Rene Mayer, today set about forming his country's 18th post-war cabinet. With the support of Gen. Charles de Gaulle's party, Mayer won approval by a vote of 389 to 205 in the National Assembly.

Living Cost For November Shows Decline

OTTAWA (CP)—The new consumer price index, reflecting changes in living costs, declined by three-tenths of a point during November to 115.8 from 116.1, the bureau of statistics reported today.

The index, based on 1949 prices equaling 100, has been relatively stabilized—at a high level—for more than six months.

Moving a mere one-tenth of a point "monthly either up or down, it has dropped altogether a little more than two points from the all-time high of 118.2 in December, 1951.

The old cost-of-living index, based on 1935-39 prices equaling 100, continued a five-month decline with a drop of three-fifths of a point during November to 184.2 from 184.8. The peak was 191.5 in December, 1951.

Aircraft May Be Down With 41 Aboard

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—The municipal airport control tower reported today that a C-46 transport is missing in a flight over southern Idaho. The civil aeronautics administration said 37 military personnel and a crew of four were on board.

The plane, en route from Seattle, was last reported over Malad City, Idaho, at 3:58 a.m. It had been scheduled to stop at Cheyenne, Wyo., at 5:15 a.m. but failed to arrive or to establish radio contact.

"We presume the plane is down somewhere in the southern Idaho-Wyoming area," a CAA spokesman said.

2-Year Drought Ends

DARWIN, Australia (AP)—Steady rains continued today, breaking a two-year drought—worst in the history of Australia's Northern Territory—and saving hundreds of thousands of cattle.

HOSPITALS MAY FACE STRIKES

TLC Will Fight For Wage Boosts

VANCOUVER (CP)—William Black, business agent for the Hospital Employees' Union (TCL), says the organization is prepared to fight in the courts to take "strike action if necessary" to gain wage increases won in agreements with hospitals.

Mr. Black told the Vancouver and District Trades and Labor Council last night that some hospitals had agreed to wage increases but were holding back because of the provincial government's order freezing hospital budgets.

He criticized the government's "hold the line" order on hospitals and said benefits won in the arbitrary tribunals might be lost if hospitals cut costs.

The TLC delegates pledged support to the hospital union. A meeting will be sought with the cabinet to discuss the issue.

Premier W. A. C. Bennett today termed "completely erroneous" statements that British Columbia's hospital insurance plan is piling up a big deficit under the new government's administration.

"The plan is in better shape than it has ever been," he said. He was referring to statements Tuesday by Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, M.L.A., and Arthur Ash, a candidate for the Saanich seat in the coming provincial election.

Capt. Proudfoot claimed that the present government has the hospital insurance scheme heavily in debt although when it assumed power the BCHIS had a \$3,000,000 credit.

3 Killed in Blast

SHERIDAN, Texas (AP)—A roaring explosion today turned a huge oil recycling plant into an inferno. Three persons were reported killed and four missing.

The explosion occurred at a plant owned by the Texas Industrial Chemicals Co. and operated by the Texas Industrial Chemicals Co. The plant was recycling oil from the Texas Industrial Chemicals Co. The explosion occurred at a plant owned by the Texas Industrial Chemicals Co. and operated by the Texas Industrial Chemicals Co.



New Mother

Elizabeth Taylor of movie fame gave birth to her first child, a boy, Tuesday night, in a California hospital. The 20-year-old actress and the seven-pound three-ounce baby, delivered by caesarean section, are "doing fine." She is the wife of English actor Michael Wilding.



Urgent Spring Treads on Winter's Snowy Heels

Strangers in Victoria might marvel but most passers-by spared only a glance at blossoming Japanese plum along Manor Road and Royal Terrace, near Government House, today. Blossoms nestled in snowy branches. (Times photo by Halkett.)

CITY KICKS OFF WINTER BLANKET

Saanich Drivers Slip and Slide As First Snowfall Lies Briefly

Vancouver Island's first snowfall of the 1952-53 winter began melting rapidly today under warm rain.

Only 1.1 inches fell in Victoria but there were four inches in portions of the Saanich peninsula, seven in Duncan, six at Comox, and four to six on the Malahat.

Public works crews worked all night keeping the Malahat open, and sanded all hills.

Machine operators had to rescue eight motorists whose cars had slid on the slippery road surface and wound up in the ditch. All were pulled back to the highway and sent off safely.

"People could avoid trouble by using tires suitable to the roads on which they drive," one public works official said today. "Tractionizing" cost a lot less than one dented fender."

In the city motorists generally "played safe" by careful driving.

However, at least five drivers got into difficulties on snow-

covered Saanich and city streets Monday night. Two persons received minor hurts.

OVERTURNED

John Catterall, 4220 Quadra, passenger in a car driven by Craig A. Massie, 3981 Saanich Road, was injured when the car skidded and turned over on East Saanich Road at Haliburton.

Allan Duffus, 1702 Belmont, was treated at St. Joseph's for a head cut when the car he was driving was in collision with a second car driven by Daniel P. Griffin, 2727 Foul Bay, at Catherine and Langford.

About \$500 damage was done to cars driven by Guy M. Shaw, Saanich, and Edgar O. Jones, 1303 Yates, when they collided near Prospect Lake, police said.

Cars driven by Muriel L. McKay, East Road, Sidney, and Arthur Lionel, Brentwood, were damaged when they collided on East Saanich Road north of Elk Lake.

RCMP reported "some ditch-

ings" that caused traffic tie-ups but no serious accidents.

Weatherman William Mackie said warm air from the Pacific has forced back cold air from the continent, but that there is the likelihood of colder temperatures returning late Thursday night.

Until then skies will be cloudy with intermittent rain, and temperatures will range between 37 and 45 degrees.

Low temperatures recorded overnight was 30.3 degrees, high today 44 degrees.

Elsewhere in Canada the picture was much more gloomy. Vancouver had two inches of snow overnight and freezing rain today.

Some roads in the Calgary-Lethbridge district were plugged by a blizzard, and the whole of Alberta recorded its coldest night with temperatures from 10 below zero to 45 below.

The nation's coldest spot was Snag, the Yukon "icebox," where the thermometer dropped to a crisp, crackling 48 degrees below zero.

Weather officials in Edmonton have forecast a second blizzard may follow one scheduled to hit the prairies tonight.

Tug Crew Pulls Aged Man From False Creek

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Prompt action by police and a tugboat captain today were credited with rescuing a 73-year-old man from False Creek after he fell 60 feet from the Cambie Street bridge.

Robert McCall, an old age pensioner, was listed as being in "poor" condition in the Vancouver General Hospital after his fall. He was fished from the key waters by the crew of the tug Rodney I and revived as the boat sped towards the dock.

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